

For 24 hours ending 5 p. m. Saturday  
Victoria and vicinity: Moderate to fresh westerly winds, continued fine, but much change in temperature.

Columbia—The Rough Diamond  
Capital—The Diamond  
Dominion—The Trap  
Royal—A Doll's House

## GREEKS DECLARE THEIR PLAN WAS TO BRING PEACE

Why They Hoped to Occupy Constantinople

Send Reply to Note from Allied Powers

Athens, Aug. 4.—Responding to the Allied Powers' note of July 31, the Greek Government says it decided to occupy Constantinople in order to bring about peace by means of decisive action against the Turkish capital. Claim is made that the decision of the Allies against such a move raises an obstacle to the proper exercise of Greece's right as a belligerent to put an end to Turkish resistance by military action of incontestable importance.

The Greek reply reiterates that continued delay in the conclusion of peace will result in fresh calamities to the Christians in Asia Minor and further aggravation of the whole Near Eastern situation.

To Prevent Clashes.  
Constantinople, Aug. 4.—The Council of Allied generals is taking drastic action to prevent repetition of such incidents as the clash between Greek and Turkish troops in the northwest of this city early in the week in which three Greeks were killed. It has been decided that the Greeks shall occupy new positions less menacing to the Turkish lines.

Trains Operated.  
Sofia, Bulgaria, Aug. 4.—The concentration of troops on both sides of the Techaria line has not disturbed traffic on the railway to Constantinople, the Orient Express and other trains going and coming regularly across Thrace. Calm prevails on the Greek-Bulgarian frontier.

Turk in London.  
London, Aug. 4.—Fethi Bey, Minister of the Interior in the Turkish Nationalist Government, has arrived here for the announced purpose of making proposals concerning the status of the Dardanelles and Thrace. The disposition of Adrianople, which was given to the Greeks, is the principal obstacle to peace from the Turkish viewpoint, he declared. If that difficulty should be removed, he believed peace would be re-established in the Near East.

## BOARD FOR RAILWAY MECHANICS' DISPUTE

Railways and Unions to Present Cases

Harding's Cabinet Considers U. S. Strikers

Ottawa, Aug. 4.—It is expected that H. T. Atfield, of the Labor Department, will act as registrar of the board of conciliation in the matter of the dispute between the railways and the mechanics. The board is the motive power and car departments as mechanics, helpers and apprentices.

Isaac Pittblado, K. C., Winnipeg, represents the companies, and James Simpson, Toronto, the men. The board probably will hold the most of its sessions in Montreal.

In United States.  
Washington, Aug. 4.—Members of President Harding's Cabinet took to today's meeting reports on the coal and rail strikes as gathered by their respective departments. The session, it was indicated, was given over almost wholly to a discussion of the situation in the two industries.

## ACTS OF VIOLENCE IN NEW MEXICO

Las Vegas, N.M., Aug. 4.—G. A. Zentmyer, a Southern Pacific trainmaster here, was seized on the main street late yesterday and taken by a crowd of unknown men to an automobile several miles into the desert, where a coat of tar and excelsior was applied to his body.

Four women attacked the wife of E. W. Andrews, a roundhouse foreman, while she was carrying dinner to her husband, who was working in the shops. The women, whose names are unknown, beat Mrs. Andrews severely.

## MAN AND WOMAN UNDER ARREST

Lincoln, Neb., Aug. 4.—One man and one woman are in the county jail here as the result of rioting by forty or fifty railroad strikers and strike sympathizers, who it is said, they attempted to prevent a squad of workmen from going to work in a roundhouse.

Police were called and after a five-minute clash with the rioters, dispersed the crowd. Two persons, whom the police claim were ringleaders in the riot, were taken to the county jail for investigation.

## LOSS LICENSES

Waycross, Ga., Aug. 4.—Mayor Cawort revoked the licenses of two barber shops where barbers refused to shave non-union men employees at the Atlantic Coast Line shops.

## INJUNCTIONS

Des Moines, Iowa, Aug. 4.—Temporary injunctions granted by Federal Judge Martin J. Wade to the Chicago and Great Western Railroad,

## WOMAN OBSERVER HAS DISCOVERED A NEW STAR

Cambridge, Mass., Aug. 4.—Word of the discovery of a new star by Miss Annie J. Cannon, has been received at the Harvard Observatory's southern station at Arequipa, Peru. The star, which is of the tenth magnitude, is in Constellation Scorpius, is right ascension, 17 hours, 42 minutes, and declination 36 degrees south.

## EASTERNERS COME TO BAR MEETING

St. John, N.B., Aug. 4.—M. G. Teed, M. E. Wallace, K. C., and J. P. Lewin, have left for the British Columbia coast to attend the annual meeting of the Canadian Bar Association in Vancouver and Victoria as official representatives of the New Brunswick Bar Association.

J. B. M. Baxter, K. C., M. P., who left last week for San Francisco to attend the meeting of the Bar Association of the United States, will also attend the meeting in Vancouver, which will be held on August 16, 17 and 18.

## MINISTER MAKES FIRST VISIT HERE: HON. H. S. BELAND



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## B. C. Steel Mills Assured; Premier Announces Plans

Government to Pass Legislation at Next Session; Corporation Will Be Backed By Imperial and Dominion As Well As Provincial Governments.

Legislation for the establishment of iron and steel works in British Columbia will be put through at the next session of the Legislature, Premier Oliver announced this afternoon.

The announcement was made following a Cabinet meeting which lasted two hours and a half and was made to representatives of the Coast Range Steel Co., a \$15,000,000 corporation organized a year ago under H. J. Landahl, an iron and steel expert.

C. P. Hill, Mary Ellen Smith, M.P.P., and R. H. Gale, former mayor of Vancouver, as well as Mr. Landahl, received the announcement from the Premier in the Executive Chamber.

## LIST OF C. N. R. DIRECTORS ABOUT COMPLETE NOW

Ottawa to Announce Names in Few Days

Ottawa, Aug. 4.—(Canadian Press) Speculation in regard to the new board of management of the Canadian National Railways is now ranging around the number of directors who will be appointed. Under the act establishing the board, not more than fifteen. The present board, which has resigned, consists of nine members, and includes two of them, however, being of the Deputy Minister of Railways of Canada.

A suggestion which has gained considerable currency is that the new board will be representative of the different provinces or districts. The act gives the Government sufficient latitude to carry out this plan in whole or in part and yet to provide for representation of the operating staff and the Railway Department on the board. The existing board is representative of the different sections of the country only in an approximate way. Colonel Thomas Cantlay and Dr. A. P. Barnhill, Canadian National Railways, and R. T. Riler is from Winnipeg, while Sir H. Laporte is of Montreal. The rest of the directors reside in Ontario.

## AMUNDSEN TO TRAVEL LIGHT TO POLE THIS YEAR

Nome, Alaska, Aug. 3.—The schooner Maud, carrying the Amundsen Polar Expedition, reported 2, as the position at midnight, August 2, as close to Wrangel Island and in ice, with the weather prevailing and little snow, although there had been several bad storms. The Maud's operator also stated that Captain Amundsen, Lieut. Omdal and Photographer Lund had gone to Point Barrow. Lieut. Fullerton had left for Nome, it was stated.

Captain Amundsen intends to attempt his flight to the Pole this year if weather conditions permit, and if not, then next year.

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Predicts Success for Anti-Rigor Pensions Board

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Workshops for partially disabled veterans similar to those maintained by the Canadian Red Cross in Vancouver and Victoria will be established in British Columbia by the Government, Dr. Beland said. He explained that such shops provide a solution to the problem of men with disabilities of from 30 to 60 per cent, and become in some measure self-supporting and are given an interest in life which greatly benefits their health.

There are still about 5,000 chronic cases under the medical care of the S.C.R. in hospitals all over Canada. (Continued on page 16.)

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## SOCIALISTS DELAY MEETING IN ITALY

Rome, Aug. 4.—The Italian National Socialist Congress, which had been scheduled to begin August 6, has been postponed until the end of the month, according to The Tribuna to-day. Fear that strong feelings of the consequence of the recent general strike might make the congress too stormy was the cause of the postponement, says The Tribuna.

## MERVILLE RELIEF

In a communication to The Times, Mr. William Eadie, honorary secretary-treasurer of the Merville and District Relief Fund, states that it would be of great assistance to the sufferers of the Merville fire if all organizations having money raised for the purpose of relief would kindly forward the funds to him at the Royal Bank of Canada, Courtenay, as early as possible. Funds available are now running low and more money is essential to carry on the relief work.

## ASK MUNICIPAL CHIEFS TO DIRECT COAL PURCHASES

Federal Fuel Advisory Committee Members Meet

Municipalities to Confer With Provincial Officials

Ottawa, Aug. 4.—We are attending to it; that is all," was the reply made by Hon. W. C. Kennedy, Minister of Railways and Chairman of the Central Fuel Advisory Committee, when asked whether the Government had any statement to make as to its policy regarding the fuel situation.

It is the desire of the Federal Government that the initiative as to getting coal should be taken by the local authorities in each municipality and that full use should be made of the ordinary channels of trade. The Central Fuel Advisory Committee will keep in close touch with all phases of the problem and will be ready to advise and assist the provincial and municipal authorities as the need may arise. The Central Fuel Committee is putting itself in touch with the various Provincial Governments and it is suggested that municipal authorities desiring assistance should put themselves in touch in the first place with the Provincial administrations.

## MUNICIPALITIES TO CONFER WITH PROVINCIAL OFFICIALS

Questions of shortage, possible supply and transport of anthracite to the provinces were considered by the Advisory Committee at a meeting to-day in Ottawa.

C. A. Magrath, former Fuel Controller, who has just reached Ottawa from the low St. Lawrence, was present, as was the other member of the committee, Fred McCourt of Montreal. Others in attendance were M. M. Mahoney, Canadian representative attached to the British Embassy at Washington; Major Graham Bell, Deputy Minister of Railways; and George W. Yates, Assistant Deputy Minister.

## INFORMATION

Steps are being taken by the committee to secure the fullest possible information, both as to the domestic and the American and the overseas situation. It is expected some days will be required to complete this survey, by which time it is believed the various provinces which are moving in the matter also will have been heard from. The Federal committee expects soon to be in a position to make an authoritative statement as to the exact situation and the prospects of meeting it.

## RAILWAYS

Information available at the Railway Department to-day is to the effect that no present none of the Canadian roads are experiencing actual hardship, though care is being taken to conserve fuel supplies as far as possible.

## BRITISH COAL

Toronto, Aug. 4.—A New York dispatch to-day says that the buying of British coal, The Coal Age Market index said to-day, has somewhat abated, mainly because of the fact that the coal and ships have become scarce if it were for immediate delivery and because prices have advanced sharply.

Two weeks ago British coal could be had in New York for \$7.50. It is now obtainable for late August and September delivery around \$10.

## GOVERNOR-GENERAL IS VISITING MAYO

Unique Presentation Made in Dawson

Dawson, Y. T., Aug. 4.—Baron Byng, Governor-General of Canada, has left for Mayo City and Keno Hill Silver Camp, George Black, M. P., and Captain Macleod, of the R. C. M. P., accompanied the Governor-General.

On Wednesday night Lord Byng and members of his party were presented with a gold nugget by the citizens as a souvenir of their visit to the Klondike creeks, where they witnessed hydraulic and gold dredging operations. A thousand citizens attended the reception. Wednesday night in the Arctic Brotherhood Hall when Baron Byng was presented with an address inscribed on a full-size snow white caribou skin. Governor Macleod made the presentation.

The war colors of the Second Motor Machine Gun Company, which distinguished itself in many battles in France, and which was recruited from the 600 Yukon men at the front, were handed over by Lord Byng with fitting ceremony to the Governor of the Yukon, to be placed in the legislative edifice.

The Governor-General's party will commence the return to the coast on August 10.

## JUNIOR ORDER OF K. OF C. SUGGESTED

Atlantic City, N. J., Aug. 4.—The establishment of a Junior order of Knights of Columbus for Roman Catholic boys of the United States and Canada was one of the principal subjects discussed at the closing session of the annual meeting of the Knights of Columbus here. It was decided that the movement, which was endorsed by numerous state councils of the organization, should be referred to a special commission. No decision was reached as to the next place of meeting, the matter being left in the hands of the board of directors. The consensus of opinion was that it would be held in either Montreal or Boston.

## CASUALTIES IN FACTION FIGHTS IN ITALY

Rome, Aug. 4.—Two persons were killed and several wounded in the fighting between Fascist and Communist at Bari in connection with the general strike, according to the latest reports received here. The troops used armored cars to put down the disturbances.

There was fighting nearly all of Wednesday night in Genoa between Fascist and Arditi. The number of casualties is not known.

Bands of Fascist arrived in Genoa from Turin, Milan, Pavia and Ferrara to help their comrades.

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## EARLY ELECTION RUMOR REVIVED

The supposed division of opinion in the Cabinet regarding the British policy toward the debt problem seems responsible for a revival of the rumor that Premier Lloyd George contemplates an early election. It is stated that, if next week's conference yields nothing of value and conditions drift from bad to worse, the Premier is likely to resort to dissolution of Parliament, with an election in the autumn.

## LABOR MINISTRY HINTED AT

The Star, advanced Liberal newspaper, asks editorially whether the critics of the argument set forth by Earl Balfour in his note thought that the British were going to wait twenty-five years to repay the United States while the other Allies repaid nothing. The newspaper warns its readers that those who answer this question affirmatively are living in a fool's paradise, and are likely to be rudely awakened by the attack of a Labor Government which will act with courage to solve the problem of the men who risked their lives against those who only risked their money, and get the country out of this web of organized rapacity.

The implication apparently is that a Labor Government would institute the confiscation of or a levy upon capital for the purpose of payment of the debt.

## UNIONISTS' ATTITUDE

Another incident which is taken as a straw indicating the change in the political atmosphere is the important private meeting of Austen Chamberlain held last night to consider the growing desire for independence of the Unionist Party. The meeting, according to The Daily Mail, decided to press energetically for the Premier's acceptance of more pronounced conservative policy.

## PARIS, AUG. 4.—PREMIER POINCARÉ

will keep pressing proposed solution of the reparations problem until he outlines it at the opening session of the London conference next week. It was said in official circles to-day that Premier Lloyd George's speech in the House of Commons last evening altered M. Poincaré's decision to make public his plan before the meeting, it was said.

## AUSTRIA WAITS PLIGHT DISCUSSED

Asks Consideration at Premier's London Conference

Paris, Aug. 4.—Austria has requested the Allied Powers to consider the Austrian situation at next week's London conference. Diplomatic representatives of the Austrian Government in Paris and London have pointed out that the threatened financial collapse in Austria would be likely to have a serious effect upon the whole European situation, and especially in Central Europe.

Austria also asks that the Allies discuss the possibility of giving a guarantee for the large international loan for which Austria has been negotiating with American and British bankers for several months.

The Reparations Commission to-day finally approved the law passed in Austria recently creating a bank of issue in that country for the purpose of stabilizing exchange.

## HUNGARIAN PLAN

Budapest, Aug. 4.—Owing to the constant decline of the Hungarian crown and the enormous speculation in exchange, the Government has decided to issue a new currency. Within a few days a special department of the Hungarian Bank will be organized with the exclusive right to buy and sell foreign money.

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## FRANCS SENT OUT OF GERMANY

French Money Transferred to Holland and Switzerland

Paris, Aug. 4.—German banks within the last forty-eight hours have transferred to Holland and Switzerland between 60,000,000 and 70,000,000 French francs, which had been on deposit in American and other foreign banks in Paris, the Associated Press learned this afternoon.

The money was hurriedly withdrawn, it is understood, in anticipation of its being seized by the French Government as part of the penalties to be imposed upon Germany for her refusal to pay the \$2,000,000 instalment due for private debts contracted before the war with France.

## UNEMPLOYMENT DELEGATES MEET IN WILBERT CITY

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## BOMB IN SLEIGH

A band of irregulars early to-day entered Sleigh in an armored car and exploded a bomb at the Ulster Bank, almost completely wrecking the building. No lives were lost. The armored car, engaged by a machine gun post of National troops, finally retired.

## SEATTLE TO HAVE LARGEST TELESCOPE

Seattle, Aug. 4.—Seattle is to have the largest stellar telescope in the world. This was assured yesterday when C. H. Fry, who has returned after a month's trip to Europe, announced definitely that a site for the telescope would be selected on Beacon Hill.

The \$1,000,000 telescope is now being built for Mr. Fry in Switzerland and the mammoth speculum is being completed by T. S. M. Shearman Canadian astronomer and telescope builder, in his shop in Vancouver, B.C. It will be 120 inches in diameter and will weigh five tons and will be brought to Seattle on a barge, when a dome 100 feet in diameter and 150 feet high will be erected.

Astronomers will be able to study thousands of stars now invisible, and they will obtain close-ups of Mars and other nearby planets, Mr. Fry said.

The giant telescope is expected to attract star gazers from all over the world.

## WOMAN KILLED BY TRAP SHE SET

Edwardsville, Ill., Aug. 4.—A trap set by Mrs. Earl Foutte, of Glen Carbon, ten miles south of here, to catch the foxes that were eating her henhouse recently, proved to be her own death trap to-day, when she was electrocuted by touching a wire which carried a voltage of 110.

## TYPHOON KILLED MANY CHINESE IN SWATOW REGION

Storm Did Damage at Oriental Port

Three Bombs Were Set Off in Macao

Hongkong, Aug. 4.—Word was received here to-day of a typhoon that on August 2 did considerable damage to the port of Swatow, about 250 miles northeast of Hongkong. Mortality among the Chinese was heavy. Two British coasting steamers were stranded on the coast of the high tide. Several vessels engaged in local trade were driven ashore. Pontoon, wharves and godowns on the water-front were damaged.

A salvage party is proceeding to Swatow.

Bombs in Macao  
Macao, China, Aug. 4.—Three bomb explosions shook this city. A Portuguese settlement across the mouth of the Canton River from Hongkong. One of the explosions was near volunteer headquarters. Several other killed one Chinese and wounded several others.

## IRISH FORCES EXPECT SOON TO TAKE CLONMEL

Irregulars Make No Stand on Suir River

Bomb Set Off in Sleigh Wrecked Bank



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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Hub Barber Shop has removed from Douglas Street to 625 Yates Street, Oliver & Firth, proprietors.

Home Cooked Meats—Ringshaw's, cor. Yates and Broad.

Famous Collection to Be Shown—By the courtesy of the Carter Oriental Trading Co., the famous Bishop White collection of porcelain will be on view for a few days only at the New Gallery, 825 Fort Street.

Dr. W. J. C. Tomalin, 218 Central Building, has resumed practice.

Jones & Simmons, Painters, Etc.—Phone 2181X.

Owner, Driven Ford—Special rates, Island tours, Phone Hugh's 432 or 6101L.

### CHARGE IS DISMISSED.

Charged with taking a white girl of fifteen years of age away from the possession of her parents, Hazel Alexander, colored, was dismissed in a hearing on remand before the Juvenile Court this morning. Harvey Alexander, colored, faces trial in an adjourned sitting this afternoon, on



Diagon's printing establishment will celebrate its fifth annual picnic at Beach House to-morrow. The store will be closed at 11 o'clock in the morning and tallies will leave there at 12:45 o'clock, conveying the members of the firm and the staff, between fifty and sixty in number, to the picnic grounds. Mrs. J. F. Simister, manageress of the Beach House, has made special arrangements for the celebration and will serve the dinner for the party. Games of all kinds will be indulged in and a dance will be held in the evening. The party will return about 11 o'clock.

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Pure Grapefruit Marmalade, 4-lb. tin	85c	Montserrat Lime Juice, per bottle, 50c	85c
Selected Picnic Ham, per lb.	24c	Albert Toilet Soap, 6 cakes for	25c
Nice Breakfast Bacon, by the piece, per lb.	35c	Nice Table Vinegar, large bottle	18c
Fresh Cucumbers, each	5c	Grated Pineapple, per can	15c
New Apples, 3 lbs. for	25c	Fresh Ginger Snaps, per lb.	15c
Fine Large Bananas, per dozen	50c	Potted Meat, for sandwiches, 2 tins for	15c
Independent Creamery Butter, per lb.	45c	Swift's Premium Cooked Ham, per lb.	65c

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## Verley and Suhr Play Thrilling Tennis Game

Exciting Matches Produced In Semi-Finals of B. C. Men's Singles Championship at Willows Tennis Court; Verley and Garrett Played Finals This Afternoon; All Finals Will Be Played To-morrow.

Verley and Garrett played the finals for entrance to the challenge round this afternoon. Both players had a strenuous time of it this morning when they played the semi-finals in the B. C. men's singles at the Willows courts. Verley, of Vancouver, had Suhr, of California, to contend with, while Garrett, of Victoria, fought for the final position against Gordon, who is also a local man.

Both these matches were watched closely by a large gallery of spectators and the display given by the Vancouver and California players was the most interesting set of the morning. Suhr's confusing service is still worrying his opponents, and this was illustrated when playing against Verley this morning. Verley found Suhr's service difficult to contend with. He supplies a very swift shot, hitting from overhead. Every point was hard fought for throughout their match, and some very nifty work was demonstrated by both players.

The first set was very keen, Suhr holding his opponent out to twelve games, the score at the end being 7-5 in favor of Verley, while in the next set Suhr still fought hard for supremacy but was soon defeated by Verley, who played consistently throughout the match. Suhr could not find the cutting shot, letting them pass on many an occasion, although he secured a few of them. But he was better on the volley shot and returned many of them across the net. Verley won out on the passing shots and showed very consistent playing. Much applause was the result of some brilliant work by Suhr, who is a ranking United States tennis player, especially when he gave an excellent demonstration as to what he could do with the back stroke.

Suhr is a San Francisco player, and all but made the finals, proving himself no mean opponent. Verley is playing remarkable tennis, especially under the circumstances. He came practically seven thousand miles to attend the B. C. Tournament, having visited many of the famous cities of America. He will attend the P. N. A. tournament at Tacoma next week. He is looked upon by Vancouver clubs as a prospective finalist, as the hard courts on which the playing will be conducted is his specialty.

**Veterans Match.**  
The semi-finals were concluded in the Veterans match, now leaves J. G. Brown, secretary of the Victoria Lawn Tennis Club, and A. Martin, to hold it out for the player to meet Rev. S. Ryall, of Vancouver, to the holder of the trophy in the challenge round to-morrow. J. G. Brown played consistent tennis throughout the game, winning the first set with six love, following the second set in a score of 6-4. Both players played well back on the lines, using long, deep shots.

Next to that of Verley versus Suhr, the match between Gordon and Garrett is considered as the best match of the morning session. Garrett, who was the winner of this match, was run into a twenty-two game set in the first series, and provided the longest match of the morning. Both players were playing at great length, either on the service line or behind it. The half court playing was so totally forgotten in this match. Each stroke of the respective players were powerful ones and hit clean. The first set went to Garrett with a score of 12-10, but in the next set Gordon was visibly tired and went down to defeat with a score of 6-3.

Another match, which deserves mention was fought in the mixed doubles, which was evenly contested, for although the score was a poor one, Miss Klopfer and Villegas were the winning pair securing a victory off Mr. and Mrs. Cardinal with a score of 6-2, 6-1. The games were steady throughout and every point was keenly contested for. The results of the morning session are as follows:

**Mixed Doubles.**  
Miss Klopfer and Villegas beat Mr. and Mrs. Cardinal, 6-2, 6-1.

**Men's Singles.**  
Verley beat Suhr, 7-5, 6-3.  
Garrett beat Gordon, 12-10, 6-3.

**Veterans Match.**  
J. G. Brown beat U. H. Bone, 6-0, 6-4.

### THE FAMILY IMPLEMENT

A lady interested in the poor was trying to impress upon a mother the necessity of having the children clean their teeth. "Oh, I don't have to make my children do that," the mother replied. "There's always a fight between them which shall use the tooth-brush first."

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James S. McCandless, Imperial Potentate of the Shrine of North America, will arrive in Victoria on Sunday on his tour of the temples of the continent.

The Imperial Potentate comes from Honolulu. He is now visiting Portland, Seattle and Tacoma. After Victoria he will go to Vancouver and through Winnipeg to Montreal and then cover United States.

Victoria Shriners will welcome him informally at the boat and on Monday night at 8 o'clock he will meet all Shriners of Victoria at the Masonic Temple.

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### B.C. STEEL MILLS ASSURED; PREMIER ANNOUNCES PLANS

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The same being a first mortgage upon all the assets of the company.

Further conditions that the authorized capital, the subscribed capital and the paid-up capital shares of the company be satisfactory to the Government, the understanding being that if the operation of the blast furnace to be established was fully satisfactory, the before-mentioned guarantee would be extended to include the establishment of a steel producing plant and also rolling mills, the whole of the guarantee of the Province which would be proportionately divided according to the work undertaken not to exceed \$300,000 sterling, or its equivalent in Canadian dollars.

### Experts.

"The Minister of Mines was authorized to confer with the Dominion authorities and with the Facilities Committee of the Imperial Board of Trade and to employ such expert officers as would be found necessary to investigate thoroughly every detail of the proposal, the Government being determined that as far as humanly possible both the Government and the investing public should be fully protected."

### Share of Cost.

Mr. Landahl explained that the British Government through its Facilities Committee has agreed to take one-third of the cost of the British Columbia plant, and the Dominion Government has signified its intention of doing its share and taking care of one-third.

"The proposed development is to build blast furnaces, blast furnaces and open electric furnaces," said Mr. Landahl. "We will also build open blast steel mills, and eventually during a period of ten years provide and take care of an output of 100 tons of steel a day."

Mr. Landahl said that the three largest steel works in Britain interested in the establishment of the works here are Vickers, Ltd.; Simon Carves, Ltd.; and Wellman Smith Owen Engineering Corporation.

### BOARD FOR RAILWAY MECHANICS' DISPUTE

(Continued from page 1)

The Wabash, the Des Moines Union, the Illinois Central and the Union Pacific restrain striking shopmen from interfering with shop workers. The injunctions provide that a violation for strikers to call workers "scabs" to carry banners, parade or place more than one picket at any one point near railroad property.

### BELL FUNERAL THIS EVENING

Rites in Memory of Inventor of Telephone.

Sydney, N. S. Aug. 4.—The body of Dr. Alexander Graham Bell will be laid to rest this evening from the home on Bell's Mountain which he occupied for thirty-five successive summers. At sunset interment will be made in a granite tomb blasted in the summit of the mountain, a part of the Bell estate.

### V. STEFANSON'S PARTY RETURNS

To Go Back to Nome From Wrangel Island

Nome, Alaska, Aug. 4.—After spending a year on Wrangel Island, in the Arctic Ocean, the advance guard of Vilhjalmar Stefansson's expedition to the Far North is to be brought back here on the power schooner Nokatak. On telegraphic orders from Stefansson, Captain Fred Swanson is fitting the Nokatak out to go after the party, consisting of several men.

### POISON VERDICT IN SEATTLE

Seattle, Aug. 4.—Censure for carelessness contributed to the death of Rev. C. H. Morrison, rector of the Church of the Epiphany, who died Wednesday afternoon after taking a poison in mistake for barium sulfate, was placed on Dr. C. P. Brydson, physician, M. P. Dix, druggist, and the State Drug Inspector by a coroner's jury yesterday afternoon.

### OVERNIGHT ENTRIES

Vancouver, Aug. 4.—Entries for the race meet opening at Hastings Park here to-morrow:

First race—Hopeful Purse, \$200, for Western Canadian bred horses, about five furlongs: Benmore II, 117; Chattanooga, 107; Killarney Belle, 107; Louvain, 107; Volcan, 117; Lady Edmond, 105; Sharp Squirrel, 102.

Second race—Helping Claiming Purse, \$500, for 3-year-olds and upwards, about five furlongs: W. J. Dooley, 117; Muriel's Pet, 112; Volma, 112; Quinlan, 109; Kermiana, 108; Cascade, 107; Fortuna, 107; Vernet, 107; Lady Edmond, 105; Sharp Squirrel, 102.

Third race—Assistance Claiming Purse, \$500, for 3-year-olds and upwards, six furlongs: George Muelbach, 112; Bill Blackwell, 112; Celebrate, 112; Ring-leader, 112; Bookworm, 119; Ann S., 119; Ruth Harrigan, 116; Valvet, 105; Miss Sedalia, 105; Cafeteria, 105.

Fourth race—Pat Morrissey Claiming Purse, \$500, for 3-year-olds and upwards, six furlongs: Money, 112; Mabel Rule, 112; Florence Dean, 110; Kirk Stoddard, 109; Robert L. Owen, 108; Oak Leaf, 108; Joe Underwood, 108; Shelbyville, 105; Hal Wright, 103; Honest George, 101.

Fifth race—Opening Handicap Purse, \$1,000, for 3-year-olds and upwards, about one mile and one-eighth: Carabosse, 124; Jellison, 111; Woodie Mont-

## GAVEL TO BE MADE FROM OLD BEAVER

One Hundred Per Cent Club  
Plan Novel Presentation

A gavel made out of a piece of the hull of the old steamer Beaver, the first steamer propelled vessel on the Pacific Ocean, will be used at the Los Angeles International convention August 22-26. It was announced at today's luncheon of the Hundred Per Cent Club at the Dominion Hotel.

The gavel was furnished by Godfrey Smith, and the gavel will remain the property of the Los Angeles club of the convention.

A framed picture of the Beaver with descriptive tablet will also be included in the presentation.

The club members were urged by President Paritt to canvass for a full charter membership, and it was decided to carry on an active campaign to fill all the vacant classifications immediately.

There was considerable discussion as to ways and means of promoting co-operation in trade and business, and the club intends to take an active and aggressive stand in matters affecting the interests of the city.

W. A. Vitis reported on the meeting with the Chamber of Commerce in connection with the improvement of the head of the Inner Harbor at the causeway and the state of the Chamber had satisfied the club's delegates that a movement would be set on foot as early as possible for the completion of the larger scheme of an amusement centre as outlined by the Chamber some time ago.

## PAVING INQUIRY ENDS IN VANCOUVER

City Solicitor, Under Suspension, and Others Testified

Vancouver, Aug. 4.—No evidence reflecting in any manner upon the Mayor or City Council of Vancouver was offered during the civic paving inquiry. Joseph Martin, K. C., admitted at the conclusion of the hearing at the court house to-day.

"I admit there was no evidence to reflect upon the honor or integrity of the Mayor or any member of the Council, but then I would point out there was no charge along that line either," said Mr. Martin.

Addresses by the various counsel engaged in the case and evidence of two more witnesses, E. F. Jones, suspended City Solicitor, and William James Bickle, manager for the Coast Quarries, Ltd., with another statement by A. W. Noble, occupied the attention of the Commissioner until adjournment.

### Security.

City Solicitor Jones recited the incidents leading up to his suspension by Mayor Tisdall, referring to correspondence that had passed between the city legal department, the City Engineer's office and the United Paving Company, and going at length into the matter of the security put up by the United Paving Company.

In that connection he admitted that he had made a mistake, and that he had at once got into touch with Stanley Burke and requested him to put up the required amount of security.

Under cross-examination by Joseph Martin, he said he had not been asked by the City Solicitor to give any ruling as to the wisdom of entering into a contract with a company not yet incorporated.

## PAUSE IN WHEAT BOARD CREATION

Ottawa Awaits Prairie Provinces' Nominations

Ottawa, Aug. 4.—(Canadian Press) Official Ottawa is waiting for the next move in the Wheat Board matter to come out of the West. Saskatchewan and Alberta are expected either to succeed in inducing James Stewart and F. W. Riddell to change their minds and accept positions on the Wheat Board or to make new nominations. Until word is received from the two prairie provinces which have passed Wheat Board regulation, the matter probably will remain in status quo.

Hon. W. C. Kennedy, who is Acting Minister of Trade and Commerce in the absence of Hon. J. A. Robt., is spending the week-end out of town. So also is Premier King, and neither of them is expected to return to the capital before Monday morning. During their absence it is unlikely that any new appointments will be discussed.

The next meeting of the Cabinet, which is to give the appointment to the Board its sanction, will not take place before Monday morning, by which time it is expected that the prairie provinces will have forwarded definite word as to their wishes in the matter.

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LOST CAR

"Where is the car?" demanded Mrs. Diggs.

"Dear me!" ejaculated Professor Diggs. "Did I take the car out?"

"You certainly did. You drove it to town."

"How odd! I remember now that after I got out I turned around to thank the gentleman who gave me the lift and wondered where he had gone."—The American Legion Weekly.

\*Apprentice allowance claimed.

Seventh race—Westminster Exhibition Purse, \$500, for 3-year-olds and upwards, about five furlongs: Doctor Corbett, 119; Kinglike, 114; Joe Blair, 110; Lady Small, 109; Juanita Frederick, 109; Fireball II, 107.

Eighth race—Helping Claiming Purse, \$500, for 3-year-olds and upwards, six furlongs: Money, 112; Mabel Rule, 112; Florence Dean, 110; Kirk Stoddard, 109; Robert L. Owen, 108; Oak Leaf, 108; Joe Underwood, 108; Shelbyville, 105; Hal Wright, 103; Honest George, 101.

Ninth race—Opening Handicap Purse, \$1,000, for 3-year-olds and upwards, about one mile and one-eighth: Carabosse, 124; Jellison, 111; Woodie Mont-

gomery, 111; Franklin, 109; Vic Munoz, 105; Marcella Boy, 105; Sample, 92.

Sixth race—Vancouver Exhibition Claiming Purse, \$500, for 3-year-olds and upwards, one mile and seventy yards: Weiland, 118; Tom Brook, 116; Lockhand, 108; Prince Direct, 108; Gift, 108; Sam Hill, 108; Nebraska Lad, 106; Cork, 103; Camano, 103; Bobolink, 101.

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#### Russian-German Story Told by Canadian Trade Commissioner

Ottawa, Aug. 4. (Canadian Press)—A story which, as he says, "Well, but somewhat extremely" illustrates the position of Germany and other parts of Europe where coinage is depreciating, is told by Gordon B. Johnson, Canadian Trade Commissioner at Glasgow, in a report to the Department of Trade and Commerce.

"A Russian in the mail business," Mr. Johnson tells the tale, "went to Germany with, say, 25,000,000 rubles. Germany, having a high grade exchange as compared with Russia, he only received sufficient marks for all

his millions of rubles to buy one wagon load of nails. He took the wagon load of nails to Russia and sold them for 30,000,000 rubles, a profit of 20 per cent. When he returned to Germany with his 30,000,000 rubles he found that the Russian exchange had depreciated and he could only get enough marks to buy half a wagon load of nails. He took the half wagon load to Russia and sold it for 35,000,000 rubles and, well satisfied with his profit, returned to Germany, where, this time, owing to a further depreciation of the Russian exchange, his 35,000,000 rubles bought only enough marks to pay for four cases of nails. He returned to Russia and sold the four cases for 40,000,000 rubles, but when he came back to Germany the Russian exchange had again fallen, and he got only enough marks to buy one nail, tied a rope to it and hanged himself."

#### WOMAN DELEGATE.

London, Aug. 4.—Premier Lloyd George, in the House of Commons yesterday afternoon, said it had been decided to send a woman in an advisory capacity to the next session of the Assembly of the League of Nations.

### GOVERNOR'S NAME USED BY FORGER

#### Ontario Criminal Put Lieutenant-Governor's Name on Cheques

Toronto, Aug. 4.—During the last week or so a clever forger, said to hail from Toronto, has passed several bogus cheques on the Bank of Montreal, the cheques were signed with the name of the Lieutenant-Governor of Ontario, Harry Cockshutt, and were endorsed with the name L. M. Murphy. The known loss amounts to \$225.

The forgeries were so good that they passed the expert scrutiny of the bank employees without difficulty. The story is confirmed by Lieutenant-Governor Cockshutt.

### QUICK RETURNS FOR ORCHARDISTS

#### New Packing Plant in Okanagan to Pay Cash

(Times Correspondence)

Vernon, Aug. 4.—An important new enterprise in connection with the fruit industry of the Okanagan is the opening of a new packing house by R. J. Graham, of Belleville, Ont., who will pay spot cash to the growers. This is an entirely new departure, as up to this time growers have been sending in their produce to the local unions, which pack the fruit and send it on to the Okanagan United Growers, who ship it and find the market and make returns to the unions, which then pay the growers. Last year it was past Christmas before some of the orchardists got their money.

While there is a fair amount of optimism over this year's markets, and an expectation of better prices if the prairie crops turn out as well as expected, last year's experience, when the bottom fell out of the market altogether, is expected to attract many growers to the cash transaction.

#### Evaporated Fruit

The Graham Company has operated an evaporating plant at Vernon for several years. It began in the war with vegetables, and now there is no longer a demand for evaporated potatoes and onions, they are keeping the plant going in the autumn only for this year's fruit. Graham is extending his activities to opening the new packing house.

Mr. Graham is one of the oldest fruit men in Canada, having been in the business forty-five or fifty years. He first made his big haul with evaporated fruit and vegetables during the Klondike gold rush. He took contracts in the Boer War, and in the Great War he rendered excellent service by being able to turn over evaporated foodstuffs. He had been selling to Germany to the British commissariat. In fact, Mr. Graham was in Germany when war was declared, but fortunately he got out of the country safely. The plant at Vernon ran day and night during the war.

#### Preparations

To-day the big plant is being put in readiness for the apple season. Mr. Forester, assisted by Mr. Rogers, is in charge. The staff is particularly proud of the fact that many of the employees who first went on duty are still in its employ. Labor troubles are tabooed under Mr. Forester's efficient management.

The evaporating plant has been a big thing for Vernon with its \$14,000 to \$16,000 a month payroll and the employment of about 250 hands. This payroll will now be substantially supplemented when the packing house begins operations. From sixty to eighty women are to be employed. They earn on an average about \$20 a week at piece work.

The result of the new system will be watched here with great interest. It is admitted that Mr. Graham will be taking some chances in these days of uncertain markets.

"This may be his first and last year," remarked a packer, "but Mr. Graham has as good, or a better, knowledge of markets as anyone else in Canada."

### U. S. FARMERS TOLD TO HOLD GRAIN FOR BETTER PRICES

Chicago, Aug. 4.—George E. Marcy, president of the Armour Grain Company, issued a signed statement to-day urging farmers to hold back their grain for reasonable prices and saying that as prices for grain go up better business conditions throughout the whole country will follow.

### HORSES CAUSED DEATH OF CHILD

Regina, Aug. 4.—Eva Fritz, 13-year-old daughter of George Fritz, a farmer 15 miles south of Willow Bunch, was instantly killed when Mr. team hitched to a wagon ran down a hill into a valley. Albert, a brother, had his leg broken and Lena, a younger sister, was badly shaken up.

#### NON-CO-OPERATION.

Manila, Aug. 3.—Resistance to the United States by non-co-operation, along the lines of the revolutionary movement led by Gandhi in India, has a means of gaining Philippine independence, is advocated in a published statement by Representative Vincente Llanes, of the Philippine Legislature.

Llanes was a member of the Philippine Independence Mission which returned to Manila from the United States yesterday.

#### KILLED BY ELECTRICITY.

Albany, Ore., Aug. 4.—Sigert Myers, 26, a fireman, was electrocuted here yesterday while working in a power plant. Myers touched a wire containing 2,300 volts.

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### BRACKEN MAY BE CANDIDATE IN PAS

#### Manitoba Premier May Sit for Northern Constituency

The Pas, Man., Aug. 4.—Whether or not Premier-Designate John Bracken will contest the deferred election in The Pas constituency will be settled at a meeting of the local branch of the United Farmers of Manitoba here next Wednesday.

The Premier-Designate is in favor of being offered the seat, but a meeting is said to have recommended that action be deferred and if possible a unanimous expression of opinion be secured from all interested parties and time be given for a definite decision.

This information was contained in an unofficial telegram. The nomination was accordingly deferred for one week.

### PROGRESSIVES MET IN PRINCE ALBERT

Prince Albert, Sask., Aug. 4.—Fusion with the Liberal Party was apparently a possibility unthought of, judging from the remarks of A. J. Layton, of Duck Lake, on his journey to the constituency committee of the National Progressive Party in the Prince Albert constituency yesterday afternoon. He remarked that at the next election the new National Party would have a much sterner fight on its hands. In the recent contest it had fought a moribund Government, but in the next fight it would be pitted against one at the zenith of its strength, and it would provide the Progressive Party's real test.

R. H. Milliken, provincial secretary of the National Progressives, said if there is to be any fusion it must be on a Progressive basis.

No steps were taken to incorporate the Federal constituency committee of the Progressives of Prince Albert, it being stated counsel had advised that redistribution of seats would probably change the electoral division boundaries and that this likelihood should be taken into consideration.

### INCOME TAX PROSECUTIONS

Port Arthur, Ont., Aug. 4.—The prosecution of income tax defaulters is proceeding here and upward of 100 will be summoned within the next month.

The question of whether it is the intention of the Federal Government to send defaulters to jail on their inability to pay the \$500 fine is worrying court officials here. Yesterday a young farm hand was convicted but he had no money to pay his fine as he has been out of work. He was remanded and an interpretation of the act will be obtained from Ottawa.

### CABINET CRISIS IN POLAND SETTLED

Warsaw, Poland, Aug. 4.—The new Cabinet of Premier Nowak has received a large majority vote of confidence in the Diet. Thus the long-drawn-out Cabinet crisis caused by the conflict between President Pilsudski and Parliament has finally been settled.

### NEW YORK BOASTS LONGEST SPREE

New York, Aug. 4.—One of the longest sprees in history, if indeed it is not absolutely the longest, was attributed yesterday to a former bartender, August Detering, fifty-one, by his wife, Rose, who told a Brooklyn magistrate her husband got drunk the day prohibition went into effect and has been drunk ever since. "He hasn't done a day's work in four years," she said.

Before prohibition, she said, he never touched a drop. He was locked up.

#### CONFESSED MURDERER.

Red Wing, Minn., Aug. 4.—Charles Bains, who escaped from the Ramsey County jail in St. Paul Wednesday night, was captured near here late yesterday and confessed, according to county authorities, that he shot and killed Harry Hoffman, a Minneapolis taxi cab driver, who had taken him from St. Paul to Red Wing Wednesday night. The man was captured after a 250 posse men had combed a deserted quarry near Old Frontenac, southeast of here.

Bains and a negro cell mate escaped from the St. Paul jail after overcoming a jailer.

#### U. S. SENATE CONTEST.

Wheeling, W. Va., Aug. 4.—C. E. Ogden, publisher, conceded to-day that he had been defeated for the Republican Senate nomination in the primary by United States Senator Howard Sutherland. In his statement he pledged support to the Republican nominee.

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Clearing the balance of our entire stock of Women's Novelty Coats, Wraps and Suits, Saturday at Half-Price! Think of what a big reduction this means to you in the purchase price of one of these handsome garments—Saturday "Half-Price!"

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### Clean-up Bargains in Children's

#### Section Saturday

10 Only, White and Duck Pleated Skirts, with bodice, for ages 4 to 10 years. Regular to \$2.25, Sale Price **.95c**

Children's Striped Print Rompers, in pink and sky; 6 months to 2 years. Regular to \$1.50, Sale **75c**

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Women's Fine Cotton Lisle Hose, black and brown; all sizes. Alteration Sale, per pair **.25c**

Women's Full-Size Cotton Lisle Bloomers, pink and white; made with gusset. Alteration Sale, pair, **.49c**

15 Doz. Cotton Lisle Vests, in all the wanted styles. Splendid value for Alteration Sale, 3 pair **\$1.00**

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Samples of Swiss Knitted Underwear, in vests, at factory cost; plain and fancy crochet tops.

### Corsets and

#### Brassieres at Clean-

#### Up Prices

American Lady Corsets, with girdle top, in pink only; sizes 19 to 27. Alteration Sale **\$1.75**

10 Dozen Gossard Brassieres, back fastening; pink or white; all sizes. Alteration Sale **.75c**

Clearing Discontinued Numbers of Nemo Corsets, in sizes 23 to 31. Regular up to \$5.75, Alteration Sale, per pair **\$4.25**

5 Dozen Large-Size Sanitary Aprons, regular \$1.75, Alteration Sale at, each **.90c**

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#### Price on

#### Middy

#### Blouses

Values to **\$2.75** at **\$1.49**

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### TRIALS WILL BE HELD IN OREGON

Medford, Ore., Aug. 4.—Six well-known Jackson County men and sixteen "John Does" were indicted to-day by a special grand jury which made its report to-day to Circuit Judge Calkins in the Jackson County court house, charging participation in "hangings" staged by night riders last Spring.

### WHEAT IN QUEBEC DAMAGED BY RAIN

Sherbrooke, Que., Aug. 4.—Considerable damage was done to the wheat crop in various sections of the

Eastern Townships as a result of the heavy downpour of rain last evening.

The rain also caused a serious washout on the Grand Trunk between Windsor Mills and Bromptonville, a freight train being wrecked.

#### NEW WIRELESS STATION.

Paris, Aug. 4.—It is officially announced that the new French wireless station at Sainte Assise, in the department of Seine et Marne, will be opened for service with the United States next Monday.

American Champion Swimmers at Pacific Northwest Championships, Gorge, to-morrow afternoon and evening.

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## HON. H. S. BELAND HERE.

The Honorable Henri S. Beland, Minister of Public Health and Soldiers' Civil Re-establishment, who arrived here this afternoon, is one whom his colleagues in the House of Commons without regard to party affiliations delight to honor. His fine personality, lofty character, impressive eloquence, and unvarying courtesy, so reminiscent of the knightly qualities of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, stamp him one of the outstanding figures in the public life of this country. He was a member of the last Cabinet to be presided over by his distinguished compatriot in 1911, having been sworn in as Postmaster-General, in succession to the Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux, shortly before Sir Wilfrid appealed to the country in that year. It was inevitable that he would be chosen by Mr. Mackenzie King as one of his Ministers upon the return of the Liberal Party to power, and no more appropriate choice could have been made than his appointment to the portfolio of Public Health and Soldiers' Civil Re-establishment. Canada's interest in the Hon. H. S. Beland's career, however, is associated with a more than his activities as a public man. His splendid heroism in the war, when in the early days of the grim conflict he remained in Belgium, where he had been visiting, to minister to the sick and wounded instead of fleeing before the German onrush; his trials and suffering in a German prison camp and the prolonged efforts made by the British Government to obtain his release on exchange, are recalled with gratitude and admiration by the Canadian people. This is the Minister's first visit to the Pacific Coast and we trust he will find the experience both pleasing to himself and useful to the important service of which he is the head.

## TOO MUCH MATERIALISM.

If all the moral influences by which many of the nations were animated during their several contributions to the recent conflict could be adopted as the guiding principle in setting post-war questions the issue of inter-Alleied indebtedness would resolve itself into a comparatively simple matter. But as long as wars and rumors of wars shall continue to constitute the product of commercial rivalries and essentially material considerations such proposals as that of Mr. J. P. Morgan, in which he contends that the United States should cancel Europe's indebtedness because his country contributed money instead of men in her own defence until the April of 1917, will remain nothing more than an ideal.

The great financier is perhaps correct in his argument that the United States could not send soldiers until after the war had been in progress for nearly three years because of a condition of national unpreparedness. He could have said that the pressing need for the help of our neighbor did not manifest itself until after two full years of war's frightful harvest. If the United States had been attacked, if the threat of invasion had been as near as it was to Great Britain, there is nothing to suggest that the young manhood of the republic would not have responded to the call with just as much alacrity as their friends across the Atlantic. But these things do not weigh heavily in the settlements of the moment. There lies the whole trouble and it will so remain until a real disarmament of the mind has taken place all over the world.

## "AS YOU WERE."

It may be that the joke is on the Greek newspapermen who went to Constantinople in order to be on the spot when their countrymen in arms should arrive, but the fact remains that these members of the Fourth Estate in King Constantine's country were both optimistic and enterprising. On the other hand the gentleman who organized the party was guilty of an obviously peculiar and wholly original interpretation of history and its reputation for repeating itself. He might have known at this late stage that troops from Greece would never be allowed to disturb the comparatively even tenor of life in Constantinople as long as Allied soldiers were there to prevent that very thing from taking place. Has he not realized that the Treaty of Sevres and conflicting ideas of the balance of power in the Balkans—to say nothing of the ominous shadow of Mohammedanism—have provoked more than one pointed interchange between Downing Street and the Quai d'Orsay and will be responsible for restoring this part of what remains of the Ottoman Empire to its former owners? Surely it is sufficiently clear by this time that Turkey's future, save for some minor territorial trimmings that had to be carried out for the look of the thing, will be largely similar to her past. Those memorable naval demonstrations and diplomatic finger shakings may not be so frequent, but as long as Constantinople's fate is dictated by the policy of expediency there will be occasions when Europe's pot of trouble will be stirred from this particular spot.

## ECHOES OF THE AWARD.

According to one British financier, who is also a member of Parliament, the Dominion of Canada "will be unable to raise another sixpence in England if things are left as they are." He was discussing the Privy Council's decision in respect of the Grand Trunk award and its effect upon those shareholders who now find themselves in a similar predicament to the people of Canada. On the other hand the general public seems to treat the judgment with respect and considers the Canadian Government has justification for its attitude. As if in response to the challenge flung down by the financier referred to the London Manager of the Bank of Montreal is quoted on the same day with saying that the investing public on the other side will get into a receptive mood for Canadian issues as soon as sterling exchange in this country reaches something near normal. By neither of these two points of view will the average individual be worried. Whether he be in England or Scotland or Wales or Ireland, the man with average intelligence and a bank balance will think twice before refusing a good Canadian investment. The Grand Trunk incident will not influence him in the least—especially in view of the attitude of the highest court in the Empire.

## SWIFT JUSTICE.

Six weeks ago Field-Marshal Sir Henry Wilson was shot dead by two men—O'Sullivan and Dunn. Their apprehension took place a few minutes afterwards and their trial delayed the inevitable no more than legal procedure warranted. An appeal in the case of the culprits condemned to death failed of its object yesterday. Both men are to be hanged on August 10. This appears to be a fair example of the manner in which British justice works. No compromise and no manoeuvring.

## WHAT FIGURES TELL.

One highly important and serious disclosure is made in the annual report of British Columbia's Fisheries Commissioner. It records the melancholy fact that the total pack of sockeye salmon in the entire Fraser system—which includes that of the State of Washington—in 1921 was but 142,598 cases, as compared with 559,702 cases in the preceding fourth year, and 2,385,524 cases in the preceding eighth year. It is true that the serious depletion of the sockeye run is not a new discovery. Public attention has been drawn to the fact for the last four years. But these figures can only be interpreted as conclusive evidence that all the warnings issued from time to time have been more than justified. In other words they simply mean that the time is not far

distant when British Columbia's famous sockeye salmon will be nothing more than a historical reference. It will not be a pleasant one for posterity to contemplate.

## NOTE AND COMMENT

Conditions in the Northern section of the Province are another argument for additional care on the part of motorists and campers when they are in the neighborhood of timber.

Free State troops do not seem to be lacking in enterprise. Their sensational coup in County Kerry ought to hasten the end of their own satisfaction.

European nations can talk about their debts; but they all know perfectly well that payment cannot be made as long as the sums are as large as they are.

One Labor member of the British House of Commons says it is no use cancelling debts unless those involved will pledge themselves not to put the savings into military impediments. This is just another argument in favor of mind disarmament.

**The WEATHER**  
 Daily Bulletin Published by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, Aug. 4—5 a. m.—The barometer remains high over Western B. C. and fine, warm weather continues from the Coast to Manitoba.

**Reports.**  
 Victoria—Barometer, 30.05; temperature, maximum yesterday, 64; minimum, 51; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, cloudy.  
 Vancouver—Barometer, 30.10; temperature, maximum yesterday, 54; minimum, 52; wind, calm; weather, clear.  
 Kamloops—Barometer, 29.95; temperature, maximum yesterday, 50; minimum, 45; wind, calm; weather, cloudy.  
 Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.20; temperature, maximum yesterday, 68; minimum, 54; wind, calm; weather, clear.

**Temperature.**  
 Barkerville ..... 75  
 Penikese ..... 85  
 Grand Forks ..... 39  
 Nelson ..... 38  
 Kaslo ..... 80  
 Calgary ..... 92  
 Edmonton ..... 82  
 Saskatoon ..... 96  
 Winnipeg ..... 85

**EXPLAINS PLAN FOR INFIRMARY IN CITY PARK**  
 Inspection Convinces Mayor Stadacona House Suitable for New Institution

Details of a plan for the establishment of an infirmary for aged men in Stadacona House, Stadacona Park, are explained in recommendations which Mayor Marchant to-day sent to the Civic Public Utilities Committee.

The Mayor says in his letter to the committee that Stadacona Park is an admirable location for an infirmary, while the park house can be remodelled to be useful for this purpose at relatively small cost. Furniture for the new institution could be purchased for about \$1,000, the Mayor thinks, as a number of beds could be secured from the Isolation Hospital, where they have not been used for many years.

At present the city is supporting about a dozen men at the Jubilee Hospital, and at private hospitals, and it would be much cheaper and at the same time more comfortable for them if they were transferred to an infirmary which would be devoted entirely to their use. These men, the Mayor explains, are not eligible for admission to the Aged Men's Home, as they require considerable nursing and medical attention.

The Mayor suggests that a portion of the city's share of provincial liquor profits could be used for making Stadacona House into an infirmary which His Worship is convinced, is badly needed here.

"After inspecting Stadacona House yesterday I am satisfied that it could be made into an infirmary at little expense," he said to-day.

**Happy Kuehn, World's Champion Diver, will appear at Gorge to-morrow afternoon and evening.**

**SHAW TO OPEN STORE.**  
 Charles L. Shaw to-day applied to City Hall authorities for permission to establish a second-hand store on Fort Street to be known as Shaw's Exchange. The application, which must have the approval of the chief of police, will go before the Council on Monday night.

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## PLAIN-CLOTHES MEN TO WATCH "DARDANELLES"

Will See That Fifteen-mile Limit Is Strictly Observed on Fort Street

Uniformed policemen will remain stationed in the Fort Street Dardanelles for the next few days until signs warning motorists to "go slow" have been erected, Police Commissioner W. E. Staneland announced to-day.

"When signs have been erected the uniformed men will be withdrawn but plain-clothes men will take their place," Mr. Staneland declared. "We are absolutely determined to enforce the fifteen-mile speed limit in the Dardanelles and no speed in excess of that will be allowed either by motorists or street cars."

Motorists appreciate the fact that the Police Commission gave fair warning of its intention of cutting down speed in the Dardanelles," Mr. Staneland said. "and, as a result, cars are now running through that portion of Port Street in strict accordance with the law. This applies to street cars. But we do not intend to take any chances of accidents and for that reason uniformed police are now patrolling this section and after warning signs have been erected plain-clothes men will assume this work."

## NAVAL BOYS' BAND WON SILVER CUP IN VANCOUVER

Juvenile Musicians Home from Gala Visit to Seattle

With chests visibly swelling with pride and with smiling faces tanned to a deep brown, the members of the Naval Boys' Band returned to Victoria yesterday afternoon, bringing with them the handsome silver cup awarded by the Vancouver Elks at their big flag and children's day yesterday in addition to a number of prizes won by the boys in the races at this gala event. The cup, which is about a foot high, is inscribed to the effect that it was presented to the Victoria Boys' Naval Brigade Band by the B. P. O. Elks of D. O. C. in appreciation of Elks' flag and children's day, Vancouver, B.C., August, 1922.

The award was made following a splendid programme of music illustrating the Union Jack and its meaning given by the boys under the direction of their Bandmaster, Albert Kumbly yesterday, and received with enthusiastic applause by the thirty thousand children and their parents in Stanley Park.

An amusing incident which drew cries of "Good for Victoria" happened on the previous day when a number of Vancouver boys failed in their attempt to scale the flag-pole in the park to pass the halyards through the top. After watching the mainland boys, Boy Parrott, of the Victoria band, offered to do the job, and shinning up in monkey-like fashion successfully accomplished the feat and was warmly congratulated by Col. Ryan.

Prior to the trip to Vancouver the band spent over a week in Seattle, where with their Bandmaster and Lieut. F. A. Rayner they were the guests of Mr. Melville Dollar and the Seattle Yacht Club for the regatta week. Each night the boys gave a concert at the Yacht Club and in addition gave a programme on the U.S.S. battleship Pennsylvania and played at the Children's Homeopathic Hospital to the delight of the little inmates.

During the presentation of the cups to the winning yachtsmen, Commodore Gibson complimented the Seattle Daily Times on its public spirit in presenting a cup to the winner of the speedboat race and also added congratulations to the Victoria Daily Times for presenting the Victoria Boys' Naval Brigade band with its handsome set of instruments.

**ELK LAKE A. A. HOLD SPORTS**

The first annual sports of the Elk Lake Athletic Association were held at Elk Lake on Wednesday afternoon when a large number of visitors were entertained to club sports, dancing and other amusements.

A silver cup has been presented to the association by Mr. J. Jones, of Elk Lake, to be contested for by ladies over a 100-yard course, and has to be won for three consecutive years by the same lady.

The sports programme was as follows:  
 Three-legged race for boys and girls under 12—1, Raven and N. Billingsley; 2, Squire and Hine.  
 Sack race for boys 14 and under—1, Patterson; 2, Billingsley.  
 Sixty yards, married ladies' race—1, Mrs. Wilkinson; 2, Mrs. Fowler; 3, Pearson.  
 Bun-eating contest for boys—1, Patterson; 2, Billingsley.  
 Fifty yards flat race for boys 15 and under—1, M. Toman; 2, L. Stewart; 3, H. Stevenson.  
 Egg and spoon race for boys—1, M. Toman; 2, D. Patterson; 3, L. Stewart.

**Swimming Sports**  
 Fifty yards swimming, boys 16 and under—1, M. Toman; 2, J. Poublisher; 3, L. Cann.  
 Forty yards swimming, girls 18 and under—1, E. Anderson; 2, L. McDougald.  
 Forty yards swimming, boys 12 and under—1, S. Harris; 2, M. Billingsley; 3, B. King.  
 Tiltling contest, open to all—1, M. Toman; 2, M. Raven; 3, H. Stevenson.  
 Tug of war—Y.M.C.A. vs. E.L.A.; won by E.L.A.  
 Ladies, 100 yards, 16 years and over, confined club members—Silver cup, Miss E. Roaf.  
 Hundred yards, men 18 years and over, open—1, McCullough; 2, Russell; 3, Glott.  
 Fifty yards, men 18 years and over, open—1, S. Green; 2, G. Davies; 3, Russell.  
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men—1, McCullough; 2, Styan; 3, F. Marconi.

One mile swimming, men 18 and over, open—1, Glott; 2, G. Davies; 3, A. Styan; 4, H. Robinson.  
 At 5:15 p.m. Mrs. Henderson Laurier, after congratulating the association on its debut, presented the prizes and a pleasant day was rounded off with dancing to a capital string and drum orchestra, provided by Messrs. Duck, of Keating, and Mr. H. Robinson, of Elk Lake.

See Victoria Boys make world's record high dive, Gorge, to-morrow afternoon and evening.

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## FRUIT THEFTS MUST STOP

In an appeal made public to-day Chief Fry asks the citizens of Victoria to co-operate with the police in putting a stop to the severe ravages made by boys and others on fruit-bearing trees in the city and surrounding districts. Several hundred dollars' worth of fruit is the total now placed on these depredations, and the piling must stop, says the Chief. In the past the residents have been content to let the boys go, and complain about the matter some days later. The Chief now asks that the offenders, when caught, be held until the arrival of the police, and that all attempts made to steal fruit or to otherwise damage private property be reported at once.

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Magic Baking Powder, per tin .....	25c	No. 1 Japan Rice, per lb. ....	6½c
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3 lbs. for	\$1.35	Spencer's Own Roast Pork, per lb.	65c
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Spencer's "Owen" Pure Beef Dripping, lb.	13c	Spencer's Own Boiled Ham, per lb.	63c
2 lbs. for	25c	Spencer's Own Wines, per lb.	25c
Pure Lard, per lb.	20c	Spencer's Own Bologna, per lb.	25c
3 lbs. for	57c	Spencer's Own Potato Salad, per lb.	20c
Spencer's Select Lean Side Bacon, sliced, per lb.	55c	Clover Leaf Comb Honey, each	32c
Spencer's Prime Lean Side Bacon, sliced, per lb.	45c	Nortropic Honey, bulk, per lb.	20c
Spencer's Standard Side Bacon, sliced, lb.	36c	B. C. Mild Cheese, per lb.	23c
Spencer's Standard Back Bacon, sliced, lb.	40c	Mild Ontario Cheese, per lb.	22c
Spencer's Prime Peameal Bacon, sliced, lb.	42c	Old Ontario Cheese, per lb.	29c
Spencer's Special Ayrshire Ham, sliced, lb.	42c	Imported French Roquefort Cheese, lb.	\$1.15
Spencer's Standard Smoked Cottage Roll, half or whole, per lb.	29c	Special Dutch (Table) Cheese, per lb.	43c
Spencer's Standard Unsmoked Cottage Roll, half or whole, per lb.	27c	Special Gouda Edam Cheese, per lb.	43c
Spencer's Standard Dry Salt Back Bacon, per lb.	25c	Leins, 2 to 5 lbs., per lb.	\$1.10
Spencer's Unsmoked Side Bacon, in the piece, per lb.	25c	Old Canadian Stilton Cheese, per lb.	33c
		Limburger Cheese, per lb.	45c
		B. C. Cream Cheese, per lb.	40c
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Shoulders, 2 to 5 lbs.; a lb.	22c	Leins, 2 to 5 lbs., per lb.	25c
Rumps, 5 to 7 lbs.; a lb.	30c	Pork Steaks, per lb.	28c
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		Shoulder Steak, per lb.	12c
		Mince Steak, per lb.	13c
		Oxford Sausage, per lb.	13c
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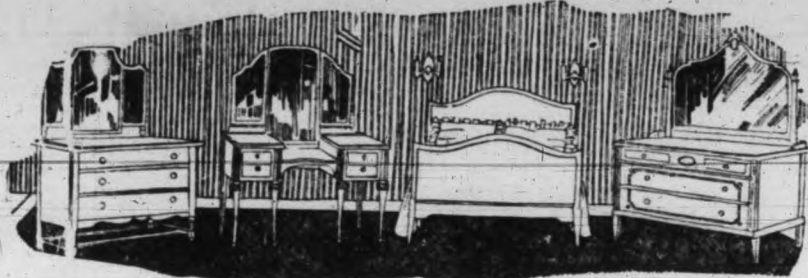
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Mantles, First Floor

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In the first place, I hate women because they are so unintelligent.

Listen to any group of women or girls talking among themselves when there are no men around. Pick any group you want to—in a corner in the office, in a crowded trolley car, in the drawing room over the tea cups; in the rest room of a factory or department store. What are they talking about? There are just two subjects, "clothes" and "he." If a composite phonograph record could be made of the average conversation of a thou-

sand women, it would sound something like this:

"He—clothes—clothes—clothes—he—clothes—he—he—he—"

Not one girl in a thousand has any real idea of what is going on in the world. Some of them make a pretence of reading the newspapers, but if you watch them when they are doing it, you will quickly see that all they read is the scandals and the bar-gain sales. If they read books, the chances are ten to one that their choice will be some sensational novel like "The Sheik," dealing with the emotional life of women.

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## LOCAL BARRISTER WED YESTERDAY

Big Congregation Witnessed Nuptials of Harold Beckwith and Miss Dunn

St. Barnabas Church was the scene of an interesting wedding last evening, when the Rev. H. T. Archbold solemnized the marriage of Margaret, daughter of Mrs. Dunn, of Fernwood Road and the late George Ironside Dunn, to Harold A. Beckwith, of the legal firm of Beckwith, Clay & Norris, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Beckwith, 1423 Fernwood Road. A big congregation witnessed the ceremony, the guests including many members of the Gyrò Club, of which the bridegroom was until recently president.

Pink and white Summer blossoms in lavish profusion decorated the church, while the guests' pews were marked with huge bows of white tulle. The bride, who was given in marriage by her uncle, Mr. Thomas Ironside Dunn, wore a beautiful gown of ivory, brocaded Canton crepe, with long flowing sleeves edged with pearls. Her veil was caught to the coiffure with a band of pearls and orange blossom and she carried a shower bouquet of white sweet peas and Ophelia roses.

The maid-of-honor, Miss McGillivray, of Vancouver, wore a charming frock of mauve organdie with large leghorn hat and carried a bouquet of pink sweet peas. The two bridesmaids, Miss Bessie Dunn, sister of the bride, and Miss Grace Beckwith, sister of the bridegroom, were gowned alike in apricot organdie, with hats to match, and carried bouquets of mauve sweet peas. Mr. Robert Yates was best man, and the ushers were Messrs. Robert Dunn and John Clay.

After the ceremony a reception was held at which over one hundred and fifty guests attended to extend congratulations to the bridal pair, who stood beneath a marriage bell of white blossoms and greenery. The reception room was massed with pink and mauve sweet peas and roses. Later Mr. and Mrs. Beckwith left for a honeymoon tour of Vancouver Island, the bride travelling in a gown of silver grey Canton crepe with wrap and hat to match. On their return they will reside at Carnes Street.

The usual Thursday afternoon tennis and tea was held yesterday at Work Point Barracks. Mrs. Westmoreland acted as hostess and was assisted by Mr. McGregor McIntosh. Among those present were Mrs. Westmoreland, Mrs. H. H. Fleming (London), Captain Westmoreland, Mr. and Mrs. Bressanette, Mrs. Macdonald, Mrs. McPherson, Captain and Mrs. Caravasso, Mr. Harold Eberts, Miss Eberts, Mrs. Ross, Mrs. Crysdale, Miss K. Devereaux, Major and Mrs. Eaton, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Ross, Mr. Dillon, Colonel Col. G. G. Captains Weeks, Woods and Campbell.

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George McCandless, Queens Avenue, when Miss Helen Goldie (Nellie) Tagg and Mr. George William Campbell, both of Seattle, were united in marriage by the Rev. J. Smith Patterson. The bride looked charming in a cream traveling suit and carried a bouquet of bridal roses and lilies. The groom wore a tuxedo and carried a sword. The bride's gift to the bride was a gold wrist watch, and to Mrs. McCandless, sister of the bride, a string of beautiful beads. Miss Tagg is the youngest daughter of Mr. James Tagg and the late Mrs. Tagg, of Vancouver, and Mr. G. W. Campbell is the third son of Mr. J. Coughlan, of Seattle. The happy couple went away to California for an extended honeymoon.

A husband, merely as the answer to the question, "How much?" Every day in the business districts you will see big rooms swallowing indigestible food in quick lunch places, because the feminine sponges at home have soaked up all the surplus cash buying furs and silk stockings. Look at the fur-clad army of women in the shopping districts—every woman in the world seems to be able to have some kind of fur.

Women are weak-minded, too. They go through life aping the habits and customs of those who have more money.

A husband may have been working hard for fifty weeks in an office. Two weeks' roughing it in the mountains, tramping over the rocks, catching trout, rowing about on the lakes, would put him in wonderful shape for the next year's work. Does he get it? He does not. He is dragged off by his wife to some fashionable Summer resort, where by spending more than he can afford, he gets a cramped, uncomfortable hot room with inferior food, and has the privilege of sitting disconsolate on the piazza while his silly wife swallows the snubs of the other women. Every woman takes two higher up the social ladder.

This weak-minded desire of women to live in more luxurious homes than their husbands can afford keeps the average husband in financial hot-water most of his life.

But not only are the married women of the world weak-minded, but the girls in the teens and twenties, are entered there. Every girl I have dated, even to her most intimate girl friends, time and time again I have watched a debutante doing her utmost to attract another girl's suitor. I have listened to two of them as they talked together about one of their dearest friends, and my what-ifs they said about her behind her back!

But one thing that makes me hate women most, I think, is that they are so obvious.

When a man gets to my age, 34, and has a five-figure income, every girl he meets seems to regard him as a potential matrimonial victim. There's a girl I met about two months ago; I don't know her name, but she was really find it highly amusing to study her and her methods. I have taken her out quite a bit, and three times she has had me at her home to dinner. If I happen to praise the dessert or salad, her mother always pipes up, "Barbara made that. She's really quite a wonderful cook."

The family are always slipping out of the living-room so as to leave us alone together. When we are alone together, she is always chattering about how nice it is to have a home of one's own, or telling me how happy one of her girl friends is who has been married just a year.

Obviously! Of course they are obvious. That girl has made up her mind she is going to marry me. I don't care she has. I hate women. Still, that's not going to interfere with my taking Barbara out to dinner to-morrow evening. It's amusing to watch her methods. And she is adorable.—Kansas City Star.

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## at the Theatre

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One of the most tragic stories that ever has come to this country in the wake of the world war is that of little Philippe De Lacy, a 10-year-old French orphan, who will be seen in the part of Ivar in Ibsen's "A Doll's House" when this United Artists release is presented here by Nazimova at the Royal Victoria Theatre again to-day.

Although little more than a babe in arms, Master De Lacy has taken part in real life in more eventful experiences than he ever will encounter on the screen. The opening of his career took place some three years ago in the vicinity of Nancy, France, in a rather informal way—under a bundle of soiled clothing, to be exact—from which predicament he was rescued by Miss Edith De Lacy, an American war nurse. Master Philippe's position was directly due to a German bombardment from which he and his grandmother, who was with him at the time, were seeking refuge.

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CAPITOL

"Why do all those South American soldiers wear pink pants?" inquired a curious visitor to the Lasky studio during the filming of the Paramount picture "The Dictator," the offering at the Capitol Theatre, with Wallace Reid in the starring role.

"Because, while a soldier form too strong a contrast and result in a glare that would not be agreeable to the eye when seen on the screen. Therefore pink or yellow is used. These colors photograph white, but not too white," was the explanation of cameraman Karl Brown, who photographed the picture. Lila Lee heads a strong supporting cast of players.

DOMINION

Before many years pass there is going to be a new youthful star in moving pictures if Stanley Goethals' work as the child in "The Trap" is any criterion. The youngster runs the gamut of human emotions in a manner that would do credit to one ten times his age. "The Trap," which the Dominion Theatre is now showing, is the first in which Len Chaney appears as a star in his own right. His excellent work in support of Priscilla Dean in "Outside the Law" and as the cripple in "The Penalty" has made him a favorite with theatre-goers everywhere. They are sure to welcome him in his latest Universal-Jewel.

COLUMBIA

There is an unusual and startling surprise, together with a pleasant treat, in store for the host of Tom Mix admirers when they greet this popular Fox star in the production entitled "The Rough Diamond." They will find Mix showing a new, unthought-of-of power and genius in a role differing from any he has ever enacted before—playing the part of a daring and dashing cavalier to the tune of a romantic story that sends him adventuring across the seas into the broil of a political revolution in a Latin republic—just because the eyes of "the most beautiful girl in the world" beckoned.

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Called upon to abandon his famous and familiar cowboy outfit, away from plains and ranches, exchanging the gun for the rapier, the exception of his horse Tony, for ships and shoes and palms and revolutions, Mix makes the transition with ease and power that proclaim him a finished and singularly versatile actor. Never before did Mix have an opportunity to play on the ensemble of the stage in this production, and he takes full advantage of it—makes one laugh or thrill, tighten teeth during tense moments or open them with a smile at his dash and daring—all in a manner that not only brings acclaim for powers hitherto unsuspected, but a realization that now and hereafter one may expect anything of Tom Mix in the histrionic line.

COMING TO DOMINION

"Behold My Wife!" The George Melford production from the novel "The Translation of a Savage," which played at the Dominion a little over two years ago and was given such praise and showered with congratulations both by the motion picture public, and also the author, Sir Gilbert Parker himself, has been booked to play again at the Dominion all next week. When Gilbert Parker wrote his "The Translation of a Savage" he little dreamed that some artistic motion picture director would come along and, appropriating his theme for a basis, produce a cinema drama that, taking everything into consideration, had enhanced the value of the original story itself.

Elliott Dexter was chosen for one of the parts, and this selection was most apt, for the dainty Mabel Julienne Scott was allotted one of the leading parts in the cast, as was Milton Sills. Their support is also seen to depict intelligent judgment in the arrangement of the other members of the company.

All the elements of a perfect motion picture are present in "Behold My Wife," the photography, theme and artistic acting of the players being excellent.

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"Hullo!" she greeted him. "Have you forgotten something?"

He smiled invitingly. "No, I've just come back. I suddenly thought we'd have a holiday."

She showed puzzlement. "A holiday? What, the office? All of you?"

She had paused three steps from the foot of the stairs, her right hand on the banisters.

His wife.

He slid his hand up the rail and rested it on hers. "Good lord, no. Not the office. No, I suddenly thought we'd have a holiday. You and I."

He half hoped she would respond to the touch of his hand by turning the palm of her own to it. But he thought, "Why should she?" and she did not. She said, "But how extraordinary—Whatever for?"

"Well, why not?"

"But what did you say at the office? What reason did you give?"

"Didn't give any. I just said 'I thought I wouldn't be back.'"

"But whatever will Mr. Fortune think?"

"Oh, what does it matter what he thinks? He won't think anything about it."

"But he'll think it's funny."

He thought, "Dash these buts!" This was what he called "niggling." It was on the tip of his tongue to say, "Why nigger about the thing?" but he recollected his purpose; that was him all over and that was just it! He said brightly, "Let him do him good. The idea suddenly came to me as a bit of a lark to have an unexpected holiday with you, and I just cleared off and came."

She had descended and he moved along the hall with her towards the morning room.

"It's rather extraordinary," she said. "She certainly was not enthusiastic over it. She said, 'Well, what are you going to do?'"

He wished he had thought of some plan as he came along. "What time's the lunch? Half-past one? What about getting your bike and going for a bit of a run first?"

She was at a drawer of her table where she kept, with beautiful neatness, implements for various household duties. A pair of long scissors came out. "I can't possibly. I've things to do. Besides, some one's coming to lunch."

He began to feel he had been a fool. The feeling nettled him and he thought, "Why 'some one'? Dash it, I might be a stranger in the house. Why doesn't she say who?" And then he thought, "Why should she? This is just as I'd have heard all about it at breakfast if I'd been decently communicative."

He said, "Good. Who?"

She took a shallow basket from the shelf. He knew this and the long scissors for his flower-cutting implements. "Oh, lord!"

And before he could stop himself he had groaned, "Oh, lord!"

She "flew up" and he rushed in tumultuously to make amends for his blunder and prevent her flying up.

"Mark, I do wish—"

"I'm sorry I'm sorry. I really am most awfully sorry, Mabel. Oh,

lord's not really profanity. You know it's not. It's just my way—I know that."

But he persevered. "As a matter of fact, it's clear connection of thought in this case. Bagshaw's a clergyman, and my mind flew instantly to celestial things."

She did not respond to this. "In any case, I really cannot see why you should object to Mr. Boom Bagshaw."

"I don't. I don't in the least."

"I've heard you say—often—that he's far and away the best preacher you've ever heard."

"He is. Absolutely."

"Well, then?"

"It's just his coming to lunch. He's such a terrific talker and you know I can't stick talkers."

"Yes, that's just why I invite them when you're not here."

He laughed and came across the room towards her impulsively. He was going to carry this through. You've got me there. Properly! He took the basket from her hand. "Come on, we'll cut the flowers. I'll be absolutely chatty with old Bagshaw."

She smiled and her smile encouraged him tremendously. This was the way to do it! They went through the glass doors into the garden and he continued, "Really chatty. I'm going to turn over a new leaf. As a matter of fact, that's why I came back. I got out of bed the wrong side this morning, didn't I?"

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Anyway, there she was in one pocket of the coat in the middle of



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Girl Stowaways Declare They Enjoyed Every Minute of Trip

Ship's Cook "Most Wonderful Man" Anna Muller Ever Saw

Cherbourg, Aug. 4.—Two young girl stowaways from New York found on the steamship Majestic, enjoyed every minute of the trans-Atlantic trip. When the big White Star liner arrived here to-day both Anna Muller and Katherine Fleming, the thirteen-year-old chums who secreted themselves in one of the Majestic's lifeboats before she sailed last Saturday, declared they had had a merry time. "The captain is a regular old dear," said Anna, "but the ship's cook is the most wonderful man I ever saw."

Glad to Return Home

"Just the same we'll be glad to get home," chimed in Katherine. "I really never dreamed the Atlantic was such a big ocean."

The stowaways will be returned to New York on the next westward trip of the liner.

## SCHOONER SUCCESS TAKEN TO KEY WEST HELD AS SMUGGLER

Pensacola, Fla., Aug. 4.—The auxiliary schooner Success is being escorted into Key West harbor by a coastguard cutter. Assistant District Attorney Hoffman was advised officially last night, on suspicion of being engaged in the smuggling of Chinese and liquor into the United States. C. P. Moore, alleged by officers here to have been identified with the operations of the smugglers, was arrested in Havana, Cuba, yesterday, according to the same advice.

Reports received here said two Cuban officials were killed in a fight which ensued when the Success, prior to her seizure by the cutter, got into difficulties with Cuban authorities through her failure to show any colors.

## REPAIRS ON RESTORER.

Yarrows, Ltd. are carrying out minor work on the cableship Restorer now lying at Esquimalt. The Esquimalt firm is also doing some deck work on the Norwegian freighter Bjornstjerne Bjornson, now loading lumber in the Inner Harbor here.

## REVISED ITINERARY OF FISHERY BOARD IS NOW ARRANGED

Commission Will Open Sessions at Prince Rupert Aug. 13; in Victoria Aug. 31

An announcement is made to-day giving the revised itinerary of the Royal Commission appointed to investigate fishery conditions on the British Columbia Coast.

The Commission will arrive at Prince Rupert August 13. The investigation will not be confined to any one branch of the industry but will include salmon and halibut and any other related matter, including hatcheries and hatchery methods.

Meetings will be held at the following points:

Naas River, on Wednesday, August 16, at 2 p. m., in school house.

Tuesday, August 14 and 15, at 10 a. m., in hall to be advised later through the press.

East Bella Bella, on Friday, August 18, at 10 a. m.

East Bella Bella, on Sunday, August 20, at 10 a. m.

Quathiaski Cove, on Thursday, August 24, in the Community Hall, at 10 a. m.

Nanaimo, on Saturday, August 26, in hall to be advised later through the press.

Port Alberni, on Monday, August 28, in moving picture hall, at 10 a. m.

Tuesday, August 29, in school house on west side of Inlet, at 2 p. m.

Victoria, on Thursday, August 31, in City Hall Chambers, at 10 a. m. and 2 p. m.

New Westminster, on Saturday, September 2, in City Hall Chambers, at 10 a. m.

Cowichan Bay or Duncan, at time and place to be advised later.

As the Commission is desirous of obtaining the views of all interested in the industry and all reliable information possible, it is requested that those interested in the several districts attend the meetings and afford the Commission the benefit of their knowledge and experience.

## "SMILING QUINN" TAKES SHIP TO SEA TO-MORROW

SS. President Madison Will Carry Heavy Mail to the Orient

Seattle, Aug. 4.—The trans-Pacific liner President Madison, Captain Thomas P. Quinn, will sail for Japan, China and the Philippines Saturday morning with a full cargo of freight, 5,000 bags of mail and a large number of passengers.

Bringing 2,300 tons of cargo for Seattle, the steamship Henry S. Grove, of the Atlantic Gulf and Pacific Line, is due here about August 10. Included in the cargo is 1,300 tons of coal from New York.

The liner Alameda from Southwestern and Southeastern Alaska ports is due here Saturday night. She brings south a large shipment of Alaska herring and more than 10,000 cases of the new season's Alaska salmon pack. Other shipments of herring, salmon and other fishery products are being brought by the freighter Latouche, due here Tuesday.

Bringing silk shipments of more than 1,000 packages and bales and a general cargo of Oriental merchandise, the Nippon Yusen Kaisha liner Shidzuoka Maru is in port from the Far East. Captain H. Nodira reported that the vessel encountered heavy fog throughout the trip.

## STRIKE ON COASTWISE VESSELS AT MANILA

Washington, Aug. 4.—Thirty coastwise vessels are tied up in Manila as a result of a strike of ship's officers. The commerce department was advised to-day by its Philippine office. As a result of the failure to reach an agreement with the Philippine shipowners' Association, the marine officers' union recently ordered the abandonment of inter-island ships.

## PRINCESS LOUISE BACK FROM ALASKA

The Canadian Pacific steamship Princess Louise, which on her last voyage north carried the Governor-General's party to Alaska and the Yukon, returned to port to-day via Vancouver. The Louise brought a full list of passengers south.

## HUNTSMAN ON PACIFIC.

The freighter Huntsman, of the Harrison fleet, sailed from Balboa July 31 en route here.

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## News from the Ocean Lanes

### EMPRESS OF FRANCE ARRIVES AT QUEBEC

R. Rustomjee, Indian Journalist, Praises British Administration of India

Quebec, Aug. 4.—The Canadian Pacific liner Empress of France, from Hamburg, Cherbourg, and Southampton arrived in Quebec yesterday afternoon with 555 passengers, 2,400 bags of mail and 450 tons of cargo, principally from Hamburg.

R. Rustomjee, a well-known Indian journalist, whose activities for the last ten years were centered in the United States, arrived in Canada, accompanied by Mrs. Rustomjee, were among the prominent passengers who arrived from England by the Empress of France.

Mr. Rustomjee, who years ago edited a paper at Bombay, went over to India in October last to study the economic and political situation of his country and gain the latest authentic material that would allow him to come back to the United States and deliver lectures in that country as well as in Canada to enlighten the public on this side of the ocean as to the true condition of affairs in India.

Advancement of India.

In the course of an interview Mr. Rustomjee said, "I spent six months in my country, India, during which time I traversed over the entire area to study the political economic and labor questions as well as the causes for unrest which the American and Canadian public as well as the European public has been fed up with for some time past. I have come back with the greatest enthusiasm for the British Empire and the breadth of the magnificent work done by England and English people for the advancement of my country, and I have the greatest admiration for the work of the English people who are settled in India and working for my country, especially in preparing three hundred and twenty-two millions of my people to enjoy the fruits of India."

Religious Unrest.

The cause of unrest in India originated before the war from a religious point of view on account of the collapse of Turkey with its two hundred and seventy million Mohammedans, which the religious people of the same sect thought in India was in jeopardy. The political upheaval that took place in India were caused by a desire on the part of the people for self Dominion government, they did not wish for a separation from England realizing the benefits they were gaining by being a part of the British Empire. Of course there were extremists, but even with them it was a desire for separation from England, not a desire to separate from the British Empire.

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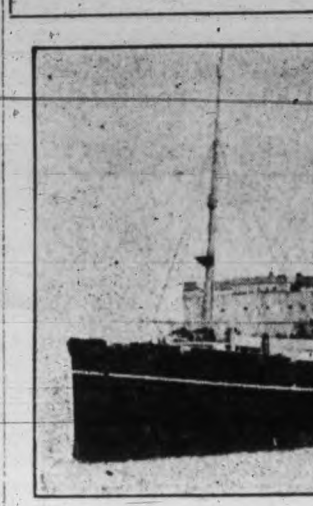
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## NEWS IN BRIEF

**In Esquimalt Court.**—Charged with being drunk in public and admitting the charge, John Pauline was fined \$50 in the Esquimalt Police Court this morning.

**Lake Hill Centre.**—The Lake Hill Community Centre will hold its regular monthly business meeting on Saturday at 2 p. m. at the home of Mr. Gaunce, Craigmill Avenue.

**New Thought Temple.**—The evening lecture-to-day will be on metaphysical healing with free personal healing to all who need it. The public is cordially invited.

**Committee Meeting.**—A very successful luncheon of the Chamber of Commerce was held in the New Esquimalt Hotel at 12.30 o'clock to-day.

**Silver Tea Postponed.**—The silver tea which was to be held at the home of Mrs. Javan, Harbinger Avenue, for the Sunshine Club of Victoria Chapter, No. 17, O. E. S., has been postponed until September.

**Accused Is Remanded.**—Charged on remand with obtaining money by false pretences, D. C. Roberts was further remanded for the period of one week, in the police court to-day. Reedy, who appears for the accused, who pleaded not guilty.

**"Last We Forget."**—A public service commemorative of the eighth anniversary of the declaration of war will be held this evening at 8 o'clock in Christ Church Cathedral. The Very Rev. Dean Quinlan will deliver the address. Representatives of the various service clubs have been invited to attend.

**Girl Guides Camp.**—Forty members of the James Bay company of Girl Guides under the command of Miss Margaret Cotton left yesterday for Sooke, where they will enter camp for ten days' training. The site kindly loaned by Mr. Phillips is on the banks of the Sooke River about a mile above the bridge, and is ideal for camping purposes.

**Relative Is Dead.**—Hugo Friberg, said to be a sawyer at one of the local lumber mills, or perhaps on other island mills, is being sought by the police on a wire from the Tacoma chief, H. H. Dymally. Friberg is wanted to be acquainted of the fact that an aunt, Mrs. Minnie Nelson, passed away suddenly at her home yesterday.

**Connaught Seamen's Institute.**—A report of the work of the Connaught Seamen's Institute shows that since May 1, 123 sailors have signed the register and made the Institute their home while in the city. Six meals and two beds were provided for Reedy, who, with one exception, who is at present motoring up the Island, were present.

**Too Much Music.**—"Music may have charms to sooth the savage breast" but the rasping notes of a wailing cornet in the hands of a semi-skilled musician, has occasioned a lady to complain to the city police to-day, asking that the nuisance be stopped. No limit existed as to the time for practice on the unwelcome instrument, stated the lady, who complained bitterly of the noise. The police will try and reason with the musician.

**Summer School Concert.**—Students of the Victoria Summer School will be entertained at a musical and literary recital by Miss Clara Powell, I. R. C. M., and Mark Sampson this evening at the High School auditorium at 8.30. P. T. C. Wickett, of New Westminster, will be the accompanist. As this will be the last of the Friday night series of entertainments to which the public is invited, it is anticipated that there will be a large attendance. To-morrow the Summer School will hold its annual picnic at Deep Cove, calling on the way home at Deep Cove and the lovely gardens at Tod Inlet.

**Committed for Trial.**—Charged with the theft of \$27 from Edward Hutchinson, Mrs. Beatrice McKenney was committed for trial by higher court in a preliminary hearing before Magistrate Jay to-day. The evidence dealt with an all-day party in which two brothers, one being the complainant, visited the Panama Hotel and the Strand Hotel, meeting with some exciting adventures. The accused, claimed the complainant entered his room while he was on the bed and took \$27 in bills from his pocket. Henry Hutchinson, the brother of the accused corroborated the allegation in part, saying he saw the accused take her hand from his brother's trouser pocket as he lay on the bed. D. S. Tait appeared for the accused who reserved her defence. The charge is denied.

**Happy Kuehn, World's Champion Diver** will appear at Gorge to-morrow afternoon and evening.

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## URGES JOBLESS TO GROW VEGETABLES

Mayor Marchant to-day issued an appeal to unemployed men to look after their gardens and see that they produce vegetables for use during the next winter. "People have told me that the soil is hard now with continued drought, but my investigations have led me to the conviction that excellent vegetables can be grown with a little care," the Mayor said. "Not more than a hundred feet from my office, behind a large hoarding is a most beautiful garden which will provide its owner with vegetables for the winter months."

**Fear For Woman.**—Employed for forty-eight hours as a domestic at the home of Mrs. Crow Baker, 84 Gorge Road, Mrs. J. Cunningham, an elderly woman lately arrived from Australia, disappeared suddenly on Saturday night last and has not been seen since, the police learn. Some 55 years of age, and known to have been traveling with a severely shell-shocked son, the woman left a note for her employer in which she regretted leaving. The note read in part: "I am sorry I can not stay, you are so good. While the police think that the woman may have left to join her son up the Island, it is feared that some accident may have befallen her, as when last seen she was stated to be acting somewhat peculiarly."

**Garden Fete and Concert.**—On Wednesday an entertainment was held on the Esquimalt Methodist Church grounds. A good number attended the opening ceremony which took place shortly after 2.30 p. m. During the afternoon all spent a delightful time entering into the various amusements. The candy stall, bran tub, and flag pond all disposed of everything they had. After the opening Mr. R. H. Pooley judged the dolls. Prizes were as follows: Miss E. Mutch, first prize; Miss Dorothy Hicks, second prize; Miss Rainer, third prize. Afternoon tea was well patronized. About 7.30 p. m. the Salvation Army Band arrived. Several selections were played on the grounds. About 8.30 p. m. the band and people adjourned to meet in the church where a good concert was

given. The programme was as follows: Selection by band; solo, Mrs. Aulton and encore; band selection; two recitations by Mrs. Hollins; band selection; intermission; duo by Misses Mutch; recitation, Mr. Hollins; band selection; song, Miss Buckingham; recitation, Mr. Slater; band selection. Chais was taken by Reeve Lockley. The whole day was a decided success and the committee in charge wish to thank all who helped with the day's entertainment.

## HARRISON PRESSES FOR LIQUOR MONEY

Prepares Figures to Back City's Claim for Full Share of Profits

City Prosecutor, C. L. Harrison has been instructed to commence negotiations with the Provincial Government in an effort to secure for the City its full share of liquor profits. Mayor Marchant announced to-day. Mr. Harrison, the Mayor said, will explain to officials of the Attorney-General's Department that the City is really entitled to practically the full \$57,000 originally allocated to it out of liquor profits. This sum, it will be recalled, was reduced by \$10,000, because the City owes the Government that amount for the support of City prisoners at Oakalla Prison Farm. Mr. Harrison is compiling figures to show that the Government's claim for \$10,000 is counter-balanced by sundry debts, which the Government owes to the City. For that reason the City argues, it should receive \$57,000 in liquor money.

Meanwhile the City Council has allocated a quarter of the liquor money already received to the Jubilee Hospital to pay some of that institution's running expenses. What will be done with the St. Joseph Hospital's request for a share of the money has not been decided by the Council yet.

## WELL KNOWN

## ARCHITECT DIES IN VANCOUVER

Maxwell Muir Formerly Practised Profession Here

Funeral services were held in Vancouver yesterday over the remains of Maxwell Muir, a well-known architect and civil engineer, and a resident of Victoria for over thirty years. The late Mr. Muir died in the Vancouver General Hospital on Wednesday in his sixty-second year, leaving a widow, one son and one daughter.

A native of Glasgow, Scotland, he was a pupil of Mr. Watson, the prominent Glasgow architect and brother of George Watson, the yacht designer. He took his degree of Bachelor of Engineering at the University of Glasgow. Coming to the United States about 1885 he spent some time in San Diego and San Francisco, landing in Victoria about 1893. For three years he was in the office of the late John Teague, and then started his own practice here. He designed many buildings, including the old Board of Trade building. He also submitted designs for the Times building, but these were not accepted. About ten years ago Mr. Muir retired to Metehosin and engaged in farming for a time, returning to the city about seven years ago. It is over twelve months since he left for Metehosin, and where he was residing at the time of his death.

## WOMEN WRITERS ON VISIT HERE

Misses Stern and Mowat Proceeding North

Miss Renee B. Stern and Miss Jean Mowat, two well-known journalists of Chicago, are in the city in the course of a tour which will take them as far as Dawson City, in the Yukon. Miss Stern was managing editor of The Women's Weekly, a widely read publication published by the Western American Magazine and, numerous other publications. Both writers will leave for the North on the S.S. Princess Louise, and, besides visiting the Klondike country, will spend a few days at Atlin.

## CLUB SUPPORTS AMUSEMENT SCHEME

100 Per Cent Club and Chamber of Commerce Confer

The suggestions made by City Engineer F. M. Preston for the improvement of the head of the Inner Harbour and the decision to be supported by the One Hundred Per Cent Club, were submitted to representatives of the Chamber of Commerce at a meeting held in the Belmont Building yesterday afternoon at which club delegates spoke in favor of the Engineer's plans, which are, in short, to fill in a distance of 21 feet at the shallow end of the harbor abutting the Causeway, the space to be used for refreshment booths, promenades, band stand, swimming bath and other features, calculated to attract the attention of the tourist.

After a full discussion it was decided by representatives of both organizations that the amusement centre scheme of the Chamber advanced some time ago should take precedence over any other proposal of this kind. It was clear that there was no wish to conflict in the efforts of the two bodies to promote more attractions.

It was pointed out by C. T. Cross that the amusement centre scheme was not a dead issue and the decision regarding what should be done in the matter would most likely be settled at the next civic election, when the whole plan would be laid before the voters of the city. Mr. Cross pointed out that the amusement centre scheme would be a big source of revenue.

The following representatives were present at the meeting: Chamber of Commerce—C. T. Cross, chairman; President J. W. Spencer and Lincoln Smith, H. C. Holmes and N. T. Lee. One Hundred Per Cent Club—W. A. Willis, C. Riach and R. Berrill.

American Champion Swimmers at Pacific Northwest Championships, Gorge, to-morrow afternoon, and evening.

## FORTHCOMING PICNICS

Aug. 5—C.P.R. Social and Athletic Club, Goldstream.  
Aug. 5—Diggon's staff picnic, at Beach House, Sidney.  
Aug. 5—Summer School, at Deep Bay.  
Aug. 6—Victoria Amateur Swimming Club, at Deep Bay.  
Aug. 7—Kumtiks Club, at Saanich Observatory.  
Aug. 8—Kiwana Club, Sidney Experimental Farm.  
Aug. 9—Princess Alexandra, Daughters and Maids of England, at Portage Inlet.  
Aug. 9—Esquimalt Merchants, at Deep Bay.  
Aug. 9—Kirkham & Co., at Elk Lake.  
Aug. 12—Canadian Legion, marine excursion.  
Aug. 13—G. A. U. V., at Goldstream.  
Aug. 16—West Saanich Women's Institute, Sidney Experimental Farm.  
Aug. 19—Liberal picnic, at Deep Bay.



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3 lbs. for 57c  
Finest Quality Yorkshire Roll, machine sliced, per lb. 36c  
Mild Cured Side Bacon, machine sliced, per lb. 42c  
Peasmeat Back Bacon, machine sliced, per lb. 35c  
Local Fresh Eggs, per doz. 35c  
Squirrel Brand Peanut Butter, 1-lb. tins, Extra Special, per tin, 22c  
Mild Canadian Cheese, per lb. 25c  
Hudson's Bay Co. Special Broken Orange Pekoe Tea, per lb. 50c  
3 lbs. for \$1.45  
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3 lbs. for \$1.00  
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3 lbs. for 85c  
Del Monte Brand Tomatoes, solid pack, choice quality, 2½-lb. tin for 25c  
Del Monte Brand Seedless Raisins, 11-oz. pkt. 22c  
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Valencia Oranges, per doz. 50c  
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Sunkist Lemons, per doz. 45c  
Nice Ripe Bananas, per doz. 55c  
California Grapefruit, 2 for 25c  
Cassaba Melons, per lb. 10c  
Honey Dew Melons, per lb. 12c  
Water Melons, per lb. 6c  
Very Fine Canteloupes, each 20c  
Nice Large Gravenstein Apples, 2 lbs. for 35c  
Peaches, per doz. 25c  
Plums, per lb. 20c  
Raspberries, 2 baskets for 25c  
Loganberries, per basket 10c  
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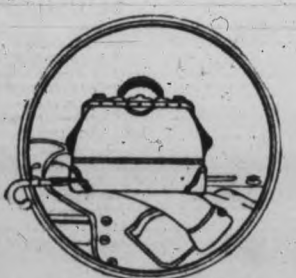
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### Lower Prices on Drug Sundries

Ironized Yeast, value \$1.00 for 72c  
Talcum, value \$1.00 for 73c  
Peppermint Tooth Paste, value 50c for 33c  
Seidlitz Powders, value 25c for 18c  
Absorbent Cotton, value 70c for 48c  
Casteria, value 40c for 28c  
Watkin's Multifid Coconut Oil, value 50c for 38c  
Castile Soap, 1-lb. bars, each 23c  
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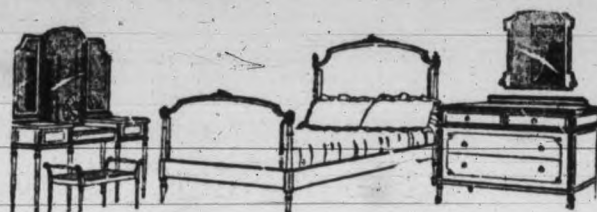


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### Bedroom Furniture at August Sale Prices



## Ivory Enamel Suite

This is a large suite finished in ivory; dresser, chiffonier, dressing table, all with British plate beveled mirrors, and a bench to match. Home Furnishing Sale \$97.00

## Italian Oak Suite

Consisting of very large dresser, chiffonier, dressing table with three mirrors and a fine size bed. Home Furnishing Sale \$295.00

## Six-Piece Suite in Ivory, Black Walnut and Mahogany

Consists of dresser, vanity style dressing table, full-size bed, 4ft. 6in. by 6 ft.; chiffonier, bench and rocker. Home Furnishing Sale \$215.00

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These Dressers have large British plate mirrors, two large drawers and two small ones; several designs, in fumed or golden finish. Value \$27.95. Home Furnishing Sale, each \$19.95

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EGYPTIAN STUDENTS  
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TEACHER DECLARES

Schools in Egypt to-day are often more centres of political strife and agitation than homes of learning, according to E. V. Garratt, of Cairo, who is visiting Victoria and is a guest at the Dominion Hotel. Speaking as a school-master in Egypt for many years, Mr. Garratt declared that the Egyptian students often were used as political stools and sometimes as paid agitators in the work of the Nationalists.

Frequently the students strike and refuse to attend their classes for weeks at a time—but they come to the school grounds and shout themselves hoarse, Mr. Garratt said. Seized by unscrupulous politicians, the students have to be handled with rigid discipline and often it is necessary to resort to thrashing and expulsion. As education is rare in Egypt, the students command a considerable respect, and, filled with their own importance, they made work difficult for their masters, Mr. Garratt explained.

CANADIAN LEGION  
MARINE EXCURSION

The Women's Auxiliary to the Victoria Post of the Canadian Legion have been successful in making arrangements with the C. P. R. to supply a steamer for an evening cruise on Saturday evening, August 12.

This form of passing a pleasant evening has grown in popularity during the last few weeks, and it is expected that tickets will be sold out within the next few days.

The Canadian Legion Band will supply the dance music, and arrangements have also been made for well-known concert artists to entertain the passengers who do not dance.

As the supply of tickets is limited and as the excursion is open to the general public as well as members of the Legion, all those who desire to take in the cruise are asked to purchase their tickets as early as possible.

The price of the ticket is a popular one, and they can be secured at Fyfe Bros', 363 Government Street, Fyfe's Drug Store, Douglas Street, and at Levy's Cigar Stand, Yates Street.

COWICHAN SENDS  
CRICKETERS  
TO CALGARY

(Times Correspondence)

Duncan—A. D. Carr Hilton, of the Canadian Bank of Commerce staff, Duncan, and Arthur Leighton have been chosen from the Cowichan club to play on the British Columbia eleven in the Western Canada cricket tournament, which will be held in Calgary from August 7 to 12.

The Duncan Lawn Tennis Club will hold its annual handicap club tournament commencing on Thursday, August 17 and ending Saturday, August 26. Entries are to be sent in to the secretary, Leo Helen, before August 15.

## Buys Home

A. J. Marlow, manager of the Canadian Bank of Commerce branch, has purchased the house and grounds belonging to L. W. Sherman, overlooking Somers Lake. Mr. and Mrs. Marlow and family will take up their residence there in September.

Mr. and Mrs. Ruscombe Poole have rented their home on Quamichan Lake to Capt. and Mrs. D. Pearce Sunderland, who lately came from England.

## Metochosin Institute

Metochosin—At the monthly meeting of the Metochosin Women's Institute, held at Metochosin Hall Wednesday afternoon, Mrs. W. Pears having resigned as president, Mrs. M. Brown, vice-president, took over the presidency. Mrs. T. Barclay was appointed vice-president.

The programme for the September meeting was left in the hands of Mrs. A. D. Ellwood, and a very interesting meeting is anticipated.

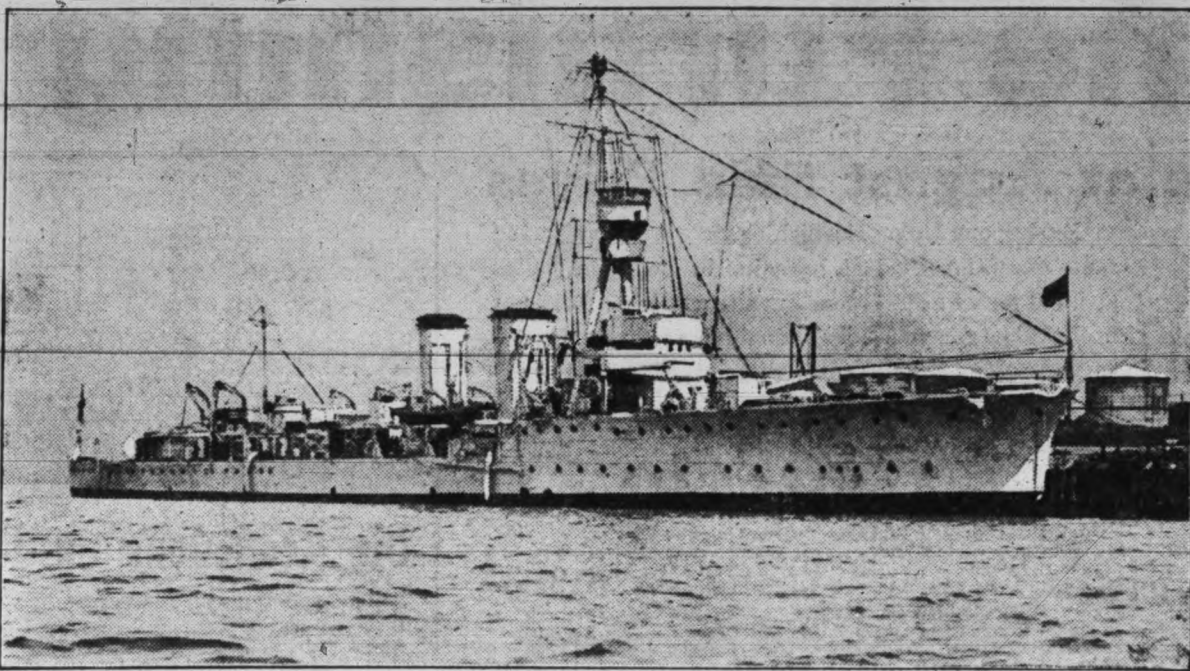
Refreshments were served by the hostesses and the meeting adjourned.

## TRUTH WILL OUT

It's disconcerting and mortifying when one's wife says: "Now, now, you mustn't do that. Gentlemen don't act like that. You never saw Daddy do that, did you?" To have one's offspring reply, with the assurance of the truth-teller, "Yes!"



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Everyone acquainted with conditions in Vancouver during the war years will remember the great petroleum shortage consequent upon war demands and all will remember what happened in British Columbia as compared with the Coast States to the south.

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Faced with this temptation many oil purveyors neglected and abandoned their own customers to take advantage of the highest prices that could be wrung from a famine market. Users of petroleum products in many parts of the world found their wants neglected and the unwritten but moral obligation upon the purveyor to consider his own customers first as innocuous as the famous scrap of paper.

What happened in the Coast States to the south will be fresh in the memory of every automobilist in British Columbia. In Los Angeles, a city in the heart of an oil field, the mayor marched with a brass band at the head of a procession to the union depot to welcome a trainload of gasoline that was to relieve a six-weeks' total famine. In San Francisco, Portland and Seattle, three quarts a day to the car was the ration and the autoist had to alibi like a bush leaguer to get even that much.

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the convention there of the Associated Boards of Trade of Vancouver Island. W. H. Dawes, of the Sidney Board of Trade, who is also secretary of the Associated Boards, left with the party. The convention will open this evening and will terminate tomorrow. A number of important matters affecting the welfare of Vancouver Island will be discussed at the meeting.

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Heading a gang of fresh men Fire Ranger William Carey set out again to-day for the fire on the Goldstream watershed. Yesterday was spent in sizing up the situation, when it was found that the blaze is on an old burn, eating its way through light jack pine and bracken over the side of Ghost Mountain up some 1,000 feet. By reason of the altitude the blaze showed up spectacularly in the city last night, but is of little real menace, states the ranger.

The fire fighters have the situation carefully in hand, and are waiting until a natural obstacle aids them in their efforts to quell the blaze. Fire in the ground previously burned over is almost impossible to stop. It is said, and the blaze must progress until it strikes the green timber before much can be done.

Back firing and fire trails will be operated when this stage is reached. The blaze is on Ghost Mountain, where the Esquimalt Waterworks, Ltd., has some 12,000 acres of watershed. Burning for some time the scrub pine and underbrush is now bounded by the Old Sooke Road, the dikes of the Waterworks Company, the old Shawanigan Lake logging slashings and the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway, the last on the Metchosin Slide. The fire is a minor one in the progress of the last few months and will present no difficulty, it is said.

## FIRE INSURANCE MEN DECIDE NOT TO MEET IN VICTORIA

Fire insurance superintendents from all over Canada who will meet in Vancouver August 10 have decided not to hold any business sessions of their convention here as had been planned originally. As one of the main purposes of their meeting is to press for uniform fire insurance legislation, they will hold their meetings in Vancouver at the same time as the meeting of the Commission on Uniform Legislation. After their formal meeting, however, they will come to Victoria to spend a few days here.

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## PLANS WORKSHOPS AND SOLDIER HOMES FOR WAR VETERANS

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Mr. Beland said, "Most of these men are beyond the stage where medical treatment can hope to bring them back to anything like normal health. The time is coming, I believe, when soldiers' homes will be established to take the place of the present hospitals with their staffs of medical men and nurses. Most of the men in the hospitals are not receiving treatment, but they are invalids, and they must be kept by the Government."

Dr. Beland administers the pure food inspection, drug act enforcement, and the various quarantine stations at seaports. Speaking of the recent detaining of the Empress of Canada in quarantine for about twenty-four hours the minister stated that such procedure was unavoidable. "No doubt such delays are unpopular and cause a certain amount of irritation among passengers who wish to make haste, but we should be much more seriously criticised if smallpox were permitted to become epidemic in the country," he said.

The Minister stated that the public health programme of the Government, which is a feature introduced only a couple of years ago, is now well organized.

"We have a council which meets regularly composed of our own officers and official representatives of the various provinces," he said. "At this council the general health situation is reviewed and a programme to be enforced throughout the whole country is agreed upon. Actual administration of health matters, of course, rests with the Provincial Governments."

Dr. Beland announced that a vigorous policy was being pursued in the inspection of foods and in combating the narcotic drug evil.

**Pensions Commission.** "Every representation from the population of this Province which is so keenly interested in fighting the drug evil, has now been incorporated into the act," he said, "and the departmental officials are doing everything in their power to enforce the law."

Speaking of the commission which is to investigate charge of undue rigor in interpreting the pensions regulations, the Minister stated that the personnel of the board was in his opinion well equipped for the task.

"Major Ralston, the chairman, is a man who had a brilliant overseas record," he stated, "and is known in the Maritime Provinces as a pre-eminent lawyer. Dr. McKeown is a great medical specialist and a professor at the University of Toronto and is admirably qualified to advise the board on medical matters. The third man, Colonel Dubuc, has the advantage of speaking both languages and is conversant with soldier problems in Eastern Canada generally. All three are ex-service men and a great deal of care was spent in selecting the board."

**May Make Tour.**

As the scope of the enquiry has been widened to take in the whole question of re-establishment, Dr. Beland stated that the commission would probably travel from coast to coast hearing evidence in every Province. He expressed the opinion that individual grievances on the matter of pensions would be examined into particularly and that the veterans would probably bring before the commission some of the recommendations on re-establishment.

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which were rejected by the parliamentary committee last session.

**Must Economize.** In his inspection tour Dr. Beland said he was paying special attention to opportunities for improving the service of the department wherever possible, and to the question of reducing the staff where such was advisable in the interests of economy and as a result of the decline in certain branches of activity more closely associated with the recent demobilization and repatriation phase, than with the permanent activities of the department.

**Early Political Career.** Dr. Beland was Mayor of St. Joseph, Beauce County, in 1901. Like Sir Wilfrid Laurier Dr. Beland began his career in the Legislative Assembly of Quebec. He was returned at an election in 1907, and was re-elected in 1909. An opportunity came to enable him to enter the House of Commons when M. Godout was appointed to the Senate in 1902. Dr. Beland was returned, and had the honor of seconding the address when the House opened in 1902. On that occasion Sir Robert Borden stated that Dr. Beland possessed that facile expression of language which marked so many of the doctor's countrymen.

The first three years of his association with the House were devoted to watching the interests of his French speaking fellow countrymen, and making a close intimacy with public business, and the conservation of the natural resources of the country.

In 1905 came his first great effort in the larger questions of the Dominion. He spoke his bill to establish the two provinces of Alberta and Saskatchewan—a scholarly address marked by full knowledge of Canadian political history and development. He practically traced the claim for separate school treatment as the natural consequence of the gradual movement of his compatriots into the broader spaces of the western prairies in the footsteps of those explorers who had followed Radisson and Verendrye into the vast plateau beyond the watershed of the St. Lawrence.

In 1906 and 1907 he spoke on questions of the development of the St. Lawrence basin and the water power and pulp resources of Eastern Canada.

**Public Health.** As a medical man and a past president of the Canadian Medical Association, Dr. Beland took an active share in the public health development of Canada. He strongly urged a considerable attention to the loss of human lives from tuberculosis each year in the public health development of Canada. He was already being regarded as among the coming French-Canadian members when he accompanied the Hon. Sydney Fisher to the North America Conservation Commission meeting at Washington, D.C., which was welcomed by President Theodore Roosevelt.

Out of that gathering grew the Canadian Conservation Commission, which was established by Act of Parliament in the Fall of 1909. Dr. Beland was one of the original thirty-two chosen to administer the affairs of this important body.

Dr. Beland had his appointment to the commission, had been known as a leading exponent of dairying and lumber conservation in the Province of Quebec. He took an active part in the work of the commission and was chosen chairman of the committee on conservation of the province, and remained with it until it was disbanded last year.

**The Naval Policy.** Dr. Beland fully supported the Naval service Act, which was presented to Parliament by Sir Wilfrid Laurier in January, 1910. That Act was the sequel to the famous resolution of March 29, 1909, which set out the principle of a navy for Canada, which was unanimously adopted by the House of Commons.

**Becomes Minister.** The retirement of Hon. L. P. Brodeur from the Department of Marine and Fisheries in the Summer of 1911 led to the transfer of Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux to that department. Dr. Beland succeeded the present Speaker as Postmaster-General in that portfolio in August, 1911. He had little time for administrative work, however, because the 1911 campaign was under way. The Liberal leaders in Quebec, of whom he was among the foremost, tried to keep the fiscal issue in the front place, but a controversy over the navy forced by the alliance between the Nationalists and the Conservatives became the leading question. In spite of his personal popularity, for he is one of the best liked men in the House, Dr. Beland failed to secure election in Montserrat, but was returned in his old seat in Beauce.

**Heroism in Belgium.** When the war broke Dr. Beland was in Belgium, the country of his second wife, whom he married there in 1914. He was in Antwerp when the Germans besieged it, and would have made his escape. He remained, however, to attend to the wounded, and minister to the needs of his friend and foe without partiality. Although every effort was made to secure his release from Germany he was not released until the Summer of 1918, when he was allowed to return home. Meanwhile he had at the general election of 1917 again received the endorsement of his constituency in Beauce County. His welcome home was enhanced by the appearance of Sir Wilfrid Laurier on one of the last occasions he was heard in public.

**Back in Commons.** He took his seat in the House of Commons in 1919 when the House sat under the shadow of the death of its senior member, Sir Wilfrid Laurier, and it was not for some time that he answered the appreciative remarks with which his return was heralded. He then gave a most graphic account of Belgian conditions and the position of the British blockade.

**His Recent Interests.** Dr. Beland spoke in the session of 1921 on many subjects, but especially on those of public health, soldier's civil re-establishment, pensions and kindred matters. He demonstrated special knowledge of those issues, which particularly occupy him in the portfolios he obtained when the King administration was formed in December, 1921, when he received a double portfolio of Public Health and Soldier's Civil Re-establishment. One notable speech of that session was made in connection with the status of Canada in international and imperial affairs. In the course of a statement in the House on February

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1921, he reiterated the Liberal policy as regards Canada's place in the Empire as being that of Alexander Mackenzie, who was followed by Edward Blake, of the fullest local autonomy.

**As Minister.** In the session which has recently closed, Dr. Beland once again spoke as a minister charged with public responsibility. In fact so short was his association previously with office that it bears a close analogy to that

of his great chief in the Mackenzie administration, which Laurier joined in 1877, just before its fall. Now he is placed in charge of departments calling for exceptional tact with expert judgment of the soldiers' point of view, and for the development of public health, a subject which until a decade ago occupied only secondary consideration in the policies of the British dominions.

The Province of Quebec has a long history of able politicians in the Fed-

eral cabinet, and he takes a prominent place to-day among the leading half dozen exponents of French Canadian policies. That racial predilection, however, is tempered by experience in the Great War, and by a humanitarian profession. He is one of the few medical men who have gone far in politics in Canada. Dr. Beland is a very able speaker, a gracious personality, and undoubtedly is one of the most distinguished figures in the House of Commons.

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